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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 9th January 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 9th January 1960, the births of 1,312 living children, and of 27 stillborn children, 363 marriages and 730 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 26.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 7.3 and the death-rate 14.6. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 20 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 9.1 more than in the previous week, and 6.3 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 5.3 less than in the previous week, and 6.5 below the average. The death-rate is 2.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.4 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 20.7 in Kilmarnock to 6.1 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 15.0 and in Edinburgh 14.8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 4 and are 1 more than in the previous week. The deaths registered were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 8, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 3 more than in the previous week and respiratory 4 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 70, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 22, being 11 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 11 were aged 0–6 days and 3 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 471, and are 91 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 44, and are 16 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 5th January 1960, was 14,019. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 38.4° being 3.1° below that for the previous week, and 0.8° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.22 inch, and the mean sunshine 11.3 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health for Scotland

No. 1 — Week ended Saturday, 9th January 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping-Cough |
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| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

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| Berwick C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 30 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 36 | .. | 4 | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | 2 | 22 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 33 | .. | 11 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 15 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 20 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 8 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 10 | 89 | .. | 5 | 2 | 117 | .. | 3 | 25 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 178 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 4 | 34 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 47 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 11 | 136 | .. | 6 | 2 | 143 | .. | 4 | 25 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | 6 | 248 | 12 | .. | .. | 3 | 5 | 86 | .. | 33 | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 97 |
| GRAND TOTAL | 11 | 142 | .. | 6 | 2 | 211 | .. | 12 | 29 | 1 | .. | .. | 26 | 5 | .. | 8 | 286 | 13 | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 145 | .. | 53 | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 121 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 1

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 9th JANUARY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 5th JANUARY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1958 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature * Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 5th Jan. 1960** |
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| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,078,400 | 583 | 199 | 318 | 33 | 26 | 311 | 15·0 | 11 | 4 | 1 | 9 | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 22 | 42 | 66 | 17 | 189 | 48 | 28 | 36·4 | 0·25 | 4·7 | 3640 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 469,800 | 190 | 31 | 147 | 20 | 6 | 133 | 14·8 | 3 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | 8 | 23 | 31 | 9 | 97 | 50 | 31 | 39·2 | 0·25 | 15·4 | 1083 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,500 | 74 | 15 | 65 | 17 | 3 | 51 | 14·3 | .. | 2 | 1 | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 32 | 48 | 33 | 39·6 | 0·11 | 13·1 | 531 |
| 4. Dundee | 180,700 | 92 | 28 | 52 | 6 | 2 | 48 | 13·9 | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 29 | 48 | 33 | 39·2 | 0·14 | 15·0 | 513 |
| 5. Paisley | 96,900 | 49 | 7 | 28 | 9 | 3 | 22 | 11·8 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | 4 | .. | 12 | 50 | 28 | 37·8 | 0·22 | 11·0 | 375 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,200 | 39 | 8 | 32 | 4 | 1 | 29 | 19·3 | 4 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 20 | 51 | 30 | 38·9 | 0·39 | 5·9 | 408 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 72,500 | 46 | 7 | 16 | 1 | 11 | 26 | 18·7 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 4 | 2 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 592 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,400 | 18 | 3 | 15 | 5 | 1 | 11 | 11·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 246 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 53,300 | 37 | 8 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 14 | 13·7 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 319 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,400 | 25 | 8 | 16 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 13·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 237 |
| 11. Clydebank | 51,100 | 24 | 5 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 6·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 307 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,300 | 28 | 9 | 15 | 5 | 3 | 13 | 15·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 5 | 1 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 224 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 45,400 | 24 | 1 | 14 | 2 | 6 | 18 | 20·7 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 52 | 29 | 38·9 | 0·21 | 13·9 | 199 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 22 | 9 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 12·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 9 | 50 | 27 | 36·9 | 0·21 | 11·7 | 142 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,500 | 27 | 15 | 7 | .. | 4 | 11 | 13·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 406 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,300 | 16 | 2 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 8 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 180 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,000 | 18 | 8 | 4 | .. | 3 | 7 | 11·1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 288 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 9th Jan. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1312 | 363 | 776 | 126 | 80 | 730 | 14·6 | 27 | 11 | 3 | 22 | .. | 3 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 21 | 49 | 104 | 145 | 44 | 471 | 52† | 27‡ | 38·4‡ | 0·22‡ | 11·3‡ | |
| 2nd Jan. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 857 | 632 | 661 | 121 | 74 | 614 | 12·3 | 22 | 20 | 3 | 33 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 28 | 36 | 106 | 109 | 28 | 380 | 53† | 27† | 41·5‡ | 1·32‡ | 8·0‡ | |
| 10th Jan. 1959 | 2,598,900 | 1255 | 311 | 876 | 129 | 86 | 833 | 16·6 | 31 | 19 | 5 | 35 | 6 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 13 | 37 | 67 | 117 | 162 | 41 | 510 | 43† | 15† | 30·7‡ | 0·15‡ | 19·5‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. ‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices. † Weekly extremes. ‡ Weekly means.

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Week ended 16th January 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 16th January 1960, the births of 1,000 living children, and of 28 stillborn children, 224 marriages and 646 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.5 and the death-rate 12.9. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 27 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 6.2 less than in the previous week, and 1.6 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.8 less than in the previous week, and 1.3 below the average. The death-rate is 1.7 less than in the previous week and 2.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 20.9 in Falkirk and 20.0 in Ayr to 6.5 in Paisley and 6.1 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 13.1 and in Edinburgh 12.9.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 13, of which 11 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 5 more than in the previous week, and respiratory 3 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 80, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but 0.3 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 45, being 23 more than in the previous week. Of these, 18 were aged 0–6 days and 4 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 407, and are 64 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 31, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 12th January 1960, was 25,525. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 36.0° being 2.4° below that for the previous week, and 3.0° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.40 inch, and the mean sunshine 6.6 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 2 — Week ended Saturday, 16th January 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping-Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **Northern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | | | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **North-Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 25 |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 25 |
| **Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 1 | 96 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 1 | 96 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 3 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 9 | 2 | .. | 3 | 22 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 25 | .. | 9 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 26 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Glasgow B. | 2 | 455 | .. | 4 | 3 | 126 | .. | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 3 | 194 | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 5 | 31 | .. | 30 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 199 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 3 | 506 | .. | 4 | 3 | 138 | .. | 6 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 3 | 241 | 15 | .. | 1 | 3 | 7 | 68 | .. | 50 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 235 |
| Grand Total for 16-1-60 | 4 | 607 | .. | 4 | 3 | 178 | .. | 7 | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | 23 | 4 | .. | 8 | 286 | 15 | .. | 1 | 3 | 8 | 117 | .. | 71 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 270 |
| ,, ,, 9-1-60 | 11 | 142 | .. | 6 | 2 | 211 | .. | 12 | 29 | 1 | .. | .. | 26 | 5 | .. | 8 | 286 | 13 | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 145 | .. | 53 | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 121 |
| ,, ,, 10-1-59 | 16 | 127 | .. | 3 | 5 | 174 | 2 | 5 | 8 | 4 | .. | 1 | 251 | 8 | .. | 10 | 379 | 16 | .. | .. | 3 | 4 | 73 | .. | 74 | 6 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 70 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 2

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 16th JANUARY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 12th JANUARY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1958 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths. | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 12th Jan. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,078,400 | 447 | 97 | 289 | 33 | 15 | 271 | 13·1 | 9 | 9 | 3 | 24 | .. | 5 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 8 | 15 | 24 | 33 | 55 | 13 | 151 | 43 | 28 | 36·1 | 0·05 | 8·2 | 7311 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 469,800 | 145 | 47 | 123 | 16 | 9 | 116 | 12·9 | 7 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 6 | 9 | 18 | 21 | 6 | 82 | 42 | 29 | 35·4 | 0·63 | 1·1 | 2017 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,500 | 54 | 14 | 57 | 10 | 3 | 50 | 14·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 13 | 9 | 4 | 36 | 42 | 29 | 35·2 | 0·89 | 6·3 | 958 |
| 4. Dundee | 180,700 | 65 | 13 | 53 | 7 | 4 | 50 | 14·4 | 4 | 2 | .. | 5 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 11 | 11 | 2 | 35 | 45 | 28 | 36·0 | 0·98 | 4·1 | 1030 |
| 5. Paisley | 96,900 | 47 | 3 | 17 | 9 | 4 | 12 | 6·5 | 1 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 48 | 28 | 36·9 | 0·09 | 11·4 | 704 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,200 | 43 | 6 | 19 | 5 | 1 | 15 | 10·0 | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | 9 | 47 | 30 | 38·1 | 0·00 | 7·5 | 711 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 72,500 | 33 | 4 | 12 | 5 | 7 | 14 | 10·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 2 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 840 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,400 | 11 | 7 | 20 | 3 | 1 | 18 | 17·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 429 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 53,300 | 29 | 5 | 13 | 8 | 3 | 8 | 7·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 431 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,400 | 13 | 4 | 15 | 3 | .. | 12 | 13·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 423 |
| 11. Clydebank | 51,100 | 24 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 6·1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 468 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,300 | 12 | 3 | 16 | 5 | 6 | 17 | 20·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 416 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 45,400 | 16 | 5 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 10·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | 45 | 25 | 34·8 | 0·08 | 9·5 | 325 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 11 | 5 | 16 | 6 | 4 | 14 | 17·8 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | .. | 12 | 43 | 22 | 35·1 | 0·46 | 5·0 | 297 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,500 | 23 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 10·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 761 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,300 | 16 | 2 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 15 | 20·9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 362 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,000 | 11 | 1 | 7 | .. | 4 | 11 | 17·4 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 390 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 16th Jan. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1000 | 224 | 686 | 115 | 75 | 646 | 12·9 | 28 | 18 | 4 | 45 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 13 | 11 | 35 | 45 | 95 | 125 | 31 | 407 | 48† | 22‡ | 36·0‡ | 0·40‡ | 6·6‡ | |
| 9th Jan. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1312 | 363 | 776 | 126 | 80 | 730 | 14·6 | 27 | 11 | 3 | 22 | .. | 3 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 21 | 49 | 104 | 145 | 44 | 471 | 52† | 27† | 38·4‡ | 0·22‡ | 11·3‡ | |
| 17th Jan. 1959 | 2,598,900 | 1048 | 211 | 941 | 148 | 79 | 872 | 17·4 | 29 | 23 | 6 | 42 | 5 | 4 | .. | 5 | 14 | 14 | 41 | 80 | 103 | 147 | 30 | 573 | 45† | 13† | 31·3‡ | 0·28‡ | 11·8‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 23rd January 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 23rd January 1960, the births of 1,003 living children, and of 31 stillborn children, 210 marriages and 711 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.2 and the death-rate 14.2. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 30 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is the same as in the previous week, but 0.1 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.4 below the average. The death-rate is 1.3 more than in the previous week, but 1.8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.2 in Paisley to 6.8 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 15.3 and in Edinburgh 14.1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 2. One was due to meningococcal septicaemia and 1 to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 7, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 6 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 97, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 41, being 4 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 20 were aged 0-6 days and 6 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 435, and are 28 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 31, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 19th January 1960, was 22,886. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 38.8° being 2.8° above that for the previous week, and 1.0° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.57 inches, and the mean sunshine 7.5 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 3 — Week ended Saturday, 23rd January 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping-Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | | | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 4 | 59 | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 4 | 59 | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | 11 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |

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| Berwick C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| East Lothian C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| TOTAL | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 21 | .. | 2 | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 29 | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 26 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Glasgow B. | 3 | 288 | .. | 1 | .. | 121 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 5 | 146 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | 24 | .. | 19 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 113 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 23 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 3 | 333 | .. | 1 | .. | 167 | .. | 4 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | 9 | 200 | 12 | .. | .. | 5 | 4 | 61 | .. | 43 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 150 |
| Grand Total for 23-1-60 | 8 | 403 | .. | 1 | .. | 219 | .. | 10 | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | 32 | 4 | .. | 10 | 223 | 18 | .. | .. | 5 | 4 | 105 | .. | 70 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 196 |
| ,, ,, 16-1-60 | 4 | 607 | .. | 4 | 3 | 178 | .. | 7 | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | 23 | 4 | .. | 8 | 286 | 15 | .. | 1 | 3 | 8 | 117 | .. | 71 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 270 |
| ,, ,, 24-1-59 | 14 | 174 | .. | 3 | 8 | 144 | .. | 21 | 11 | .. | .. | 1 | 341 | 4 | .. | 13 | 397 | 44 | 3 | | 7 | 10 | 103 | .. | 88 | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 98 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 3

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 23rd JANUARY 1960
## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 19th JANUARY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1958 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths. | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 19th Jan. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,078,400 | 462 | 90 | 337 | 36 | 16 | 317 | 15·3 | 10 | 10 | 5 | 25 | 1 | 4 | 1 | .. | 4 | 4 | 20 | 39 | 55 | 50 | 9 | 191 | 51 | 27 | 38·9 | 1·76 | 4·6 | 6606 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 469,800 | 143 | 33 | 140 | 17 | 4 | 127 | 14·1 | 6 | 4 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 28 | 21 | 7 | 82 | 54 | 29 | 38·5 | 0·54 | 9·7 | 1862 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,500 | 55 | 17 | 61 | 15 | 9 | 55 | 15·4 | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 10 | 13 | 7 | 29 | 50 | 25 | 36·5 | 1·66 | 6·2 | 796 |
| 4. Dundee | 180,700 | 80 | 10 | 41 | 3 | 4 | 42 | 12·1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | 7 | 13 | 2 | 30 | 53 | 23 | 38·3 | 1·51 | 8·8 | 958 |
| 5. Paisley | 96,900 | 30 | 10 | 33 | 4 | 3 | 32 | 17·2 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 21 | 53 | 28 | 39·9 | 2·05 | 8·8 | 685 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,200 | 27 | 13 | 22 | 4 | .. | 18 | 12·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | .. | 12 | 52 | 29 | 39·9 | 2·40 | 8·8 | 642 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 72,500 | 36 | 1 | 15 | 3 | 5 | 17 | 12·2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 6 | 3 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 817 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,400 | 16 | 2 | 11 | .. | 2 | 13 | 12·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 364 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 53,300 | 19 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 6·8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 416 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,400 | 12 | 6 | 12 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 12·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 340 |
| 11. Clydebank | 51,100 | 22 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 8 | 12 | 12·2 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 508 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,300 | 18 | 4 | 15 | 5 | 3 | 13 | 15·3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 383 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 45,400 | 23 | 2 | 16 | 4 | .. | 12 | 13·8 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 53 | 25 | 39·5 | 1·37 | 4·2 | 310 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 19 | 6 | 15 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 14·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 9 | 53 | 22 | 38·9 | 1·29 | 9·2 | 266 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,500 | 12 | 5 | 4 | .. | 5 | 9 | 11·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 716 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,300 | 10 | 4 | 17 | 9 | 1 | 9 | 12·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 347 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,000 | 19 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 9·5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 316 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 23rd Jan. 1960. | 2,608,800 | 1003 | 210 | 760 | 118 | 69 | 711 | 14·2 | 31 | 20 | 6 | 41 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 33 | 64 | 127 | 134 | 31 | 435 | 54† | 22‡ | 38·8‡ | 1·57‡ | 7·5‡ | |
| 16th Jan. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1000 | 224 | 686 | 115 | 75 | 646 | 12·9 | 28 | 18 | 4 | 45 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 13 | 11 | 35 | 45 | 95 | 125 | 31 | 407 | 48† | 22† | 36·0‡ | 0·40‡ | 6·6‡ | |
| 24th Jan. 1959 | 2,598,900 | 1179 | 204 | 928 | 133 | 99 | 894 | 17·9 | 26 | 26 | 4 | 48 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 21 | 20 | 40 | 89 | 134 | 139 | 35 | 581 | 51† | 22† | 36·9‡ | 0·68‡ | 16·2‡ | |

Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 30th January 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 30th January 1960, the births of 1,001 living children, and of 24 stillborn children, 247 marriages and 698 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.9 and the death-rate 14.0. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 23 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is the same as in the previous week, and the same as the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.7 more than in the previous week, and the same as the average. The death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 2.2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 20.3 in Perth to 7.0 in Falkirk. In Glasgow the rate was 13.5 and in Edinburgh 14.3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 2. One was due to meningococcal septicaemia and 1 to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 12, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—5 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 78, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.6 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 27, being 14 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 15 were aged 0-6 days and none was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 459, and are 24 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 29, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 26th January 1960, was 22,666. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 37.4° being 1.4° below that for the previous week, and 1.9° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.34 inches, and the mean sunshine 11.2 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 4 — Week ended Saturday, 30th January 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **Northern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **Total** | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **North-Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| **Total** | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 6 | .. | 4 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| **Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 2 | 27 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **Total** | 2 | 27 | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |

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| Berwick C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 9 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | 18 | .. | .. | .. | 27 | .. | 3 | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | 2 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 34 | .. | 8 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 10 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 20 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 4 | 249 | .. | 4 | 1 | 152 | .. | 2 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 2 | 136 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 3 | 20 | .. | 23 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 101 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 4 | 282 | .. | 4 | 1 | 204 | .. | 8 | 13 | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | 3 | .. | 3 | 202 | 8 | .. | .. | 5 | 9 | 66 | .. | 50 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 143 |
| Grand Total for 30-1-60 | 7 | 327 | .. | 4 | 1 | 273 | .. | 13 | 17 | 4 | .. | .. | 19 | 5 | .. | 5 | 229 | 10 | .. | .. | 5 | 13 | 115 | .. | 68 | 9 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 160 |
| " 23-1-60 | 8 | 403 | .. | 1 | .. | 219 | .. | 10 | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | 32 | 4 | .. | 10 | 223 | 18 | .. | .. | 5 | 4 | 105 | .. | 70 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 196 |
| " 31-1-59 | 12 | 185 | .. | 2 | 4 | 171 | .. | 10 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 362 | 5 | .. | 13 | 374 | 48 | 1 | .. | 4 | 9 | 82 | .. | 85 | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 49 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 4

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 30th JANUARY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 26th JANUARY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1958 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 26th Jan. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,078,400 | 455 | 103 | 300 | 46 | 26 | 280 | 13·5 | 8 | 7 | .. | 10 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 6 | 6 | 17 | 26 | 37 | 42 | 14 | 187 | 43 | 30 | 36·4 | 1·21 | 4·9 | 6309 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 469,800 | 161 | 40 | 138 | 19 | 10 | 129 | 14·3 | 3 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 22 | 24 | 5 | 88 | 46 | 33 | 37·9 | 1·04 | 10·8 | 1728 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,500 | 51 | 9 | 56 | 12 | 3 | 47 | 13·1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 35 | 47 | 26 | 36·4 | 0·98 | 19·4 | 771 |
| 4. Dundee | 180,700 | 68 | 19 | 43 | 5 | 3 | 41 | 11·8 | 3 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 8 | 7 | 1 | 24 | 46 | 30 | 37·9 | 1·31 | 15·2 | 952 |
| 5. Paisley | 96,900 | 45 | 10 | 25 | 1 | 1 | 25 | 13·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 17 | 46 | 31 | 37·6 | 1·28 | 8·3 | 650 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,200 | 35 | 12 | 30 | 4 | 2 | 28 | 18·7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 20 | 46 | 32 | 38·1 | 1·50 | 7·9 | 671 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 72,500 | 28 | 6 | 12 | 6 | 10 | 16 | 11·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 684 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,400 | 22 | 4 | 23 | 7 | .. | 16 | 15·9 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 420 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 53,300 | 23 | 1 | 14 | 4 | 5 | 15 | 14·7 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 404 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,400 | 11 | 5 | 15 | 2 | 3 | 16 | 18·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 2 | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 415 |
| 11. Clydebank | 51,100 | 16 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 8 | 8·2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 522 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,300 | 19 | 5 | 16 | 6 | 6 | 16 | 18·8 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 411 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 45,400 | 26 | 2 | 19 | 6 | 4 | 17 | 19·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 47 | 31 | 38·1 | 1·48 | 13·5 | 341 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 16 | 5 | 16 | 4 | 4 | 16 | 20·3 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 11 | 53 | 27 | 36·4 | 1·94 | 9·5 | 264 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,500 | 7 | 6 | 8 | .. | 5 | 13 | 16·3 | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 688 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,300 | 9 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 7·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 338 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,000 | 9 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 15·8 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 292 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 30th Jan. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1001 | 247 | 734 | 129 | 93 | 698 | 14·0 | 24 | 15 | .. | 27 | .. | 10 | .. | 2 | 12 | 12 | 33 | 45 | 106 | 110 | 29 | 459 | 53† | 26‡ | 37·4‡ | 1·34‡ | 11·2‡ | |
| 23rd Jan. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1003 | 210 | 760 | 118 | 69 | 711 | 14·2 | 31 | 20 | 6 | 41 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 33 | 64 | 127 | 134 | 31 | 435 | 54† | 22† | 38·8‡ | 1·57‡ | 7·5‡ | |
| 31st Jan. 1959 | 2,598,900 | 1069 | 229 | 901 | 112 | 72 | 861 | 17·2 | 22 | 12 | 4 | 29 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 64 | 119 | 107 | 128 | 32 | 560 | 48† | 18† | 34·3‡ | 0·13‡ | 18·9‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. ‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices. † Weekly extremes. ‡ Weekly means.

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No. 5

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 6th February 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 6th February 1960, the births of 1,050 living children, and of 19 stillborn children, 280 marriages and 690 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.6 and the death-rate 13.8. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 18 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.0 more than in the previous week, and 0.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.7 more than in the previous week, but 0.4 below the average. The death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 1.9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.2 in Kilmarnock to 7.9 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 13.4 and in Edinburgh 15.1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 3 and are 1 more than in the previous week. One was due to meningococcal meningitis and 2 to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 13, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 80, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.6 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.7 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 2 more than in the previous week. Of these, 18 were aged 0-6 days and none was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 434, and are 25 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 27, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 2nd February 1960, was 20,405. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 42.8° being 5.4° above that for the previous week, and 3.9° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.38 inches, and the mean sunshine 15.0 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 5 — Week ended Saturday, 6th February 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping-Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | | | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Dundee B. | 2 | 33 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 2 | 33 | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 |

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| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| TOTAL | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | 1 | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 25 | .. | 18 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 27 | .. | .. | .. | 48 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 20 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Glasgow B. | 4 | 201 | .. | 4 | 2 | 144 | .. | 3 | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | 155 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 17 | .. | 12 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 98 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 5 | 247 | .. | 4 | 2 | 206 | .. | 5 | 22 | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | 2 | .. | 3 | 217 | 11 | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | 56 | .. | 38 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 154 |
| Grand Total for 6-2-60 | 7 | 283 | .. | 4 | 2 | 260 | .. | 7 | 34 | 2 | .. | 1 | 26 | 4 | .. | 4 | 231 | 14 | .. | 1 | 3 | 4 | 100 | .. | 71 | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 196 |
| ,, ,, 30-1-60 | 7 | 327 | .. | 4 | 1 | 273 | .. | 13 | 17 | 4 | .. | .. | 19 | 5 | .. | 5 | 229 | 10 | .. | .. | 5 | 13 | 115 | .. | 68 | 9 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 160 |
| ,, ,, 7-2-59 | 13 | 175 | .. | 4 | 3 | 127 | .. | 11 | 4 | 1 | .. | 1 | 630 | 4 | .. | 44 | 486 | 33 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 63 | .. | 85 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 45 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 6 — Week ended Saturday, 13th February 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping-Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | | | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | 11 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 2 | 34 | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 2 | 34 | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |

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| SOUTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 30 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 2 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 20 | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 66 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 2 | 291 | .. | 4 | .. | 155 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 138 | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | 1 | 14 | .. | 27 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 135 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 3 | 331 | .. | 4 | .. | 239 | .. | 5 | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | 211 | 13 | .. | 1 | 7 | 4 | 46 | .. | 46 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 195 |
| Grand Total for 13-2-60 | 5 | 375 | .. | 4 | .. | 305 | .. | 12 | 4 | 4 | .. | .. | 11 | 4 | .. | 11 | 242 | 17 | .. | 1 | 7 | 4 | 85 | .. | 67 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 230 |
| " " 6-2-60 | 7 | 283 | .. | 4 | 2 | 260 | .. | 7 | 34 | 2 | .. | 1 | 26 | 4 | .. | 4 | 231 | 14 | .. | 1 | 3 | 4 | 100 | .. | 71 | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 196 |
| " " 14-2-59 | 9 | 160 | .. | 4 | 4 | 97 | .. | 2 | 9 | 1 | .. | 1 | 594 | 7 | .. | 76 | 545 | 42 | .. | 2 | 6 | 4 | 64 | .. | 75 | 14 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 54 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 6

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 13th FEBRUARY 1960
# RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 9th FEBRUARY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1958 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic‡ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 9th Feb 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow . | 1,078,400 | 434 | 136 | 312 | 30 | 14 | 296 | 14·3 | 11 | 12 | .. | 19 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 10 | 16 | 33 | 54 | 40 | 9 | 161 | 45 | 27 | 33·7 | 0·14 | 33·2 | 5430 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 469,800 | 140 | 48 | 145 | 23 | 5 | 127 | 14·1 | 3 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | 9 | 25 | 18 | 6 | 83 | 44 | 26 | 34·4 | 0·29 | 22·1 | 1593 |
| 3. Aberdeen . | 186,500 | 55 | 22 | 52 | 19 | .. | 33 | 9·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 18 | 46 | 23 | 33·5 | 0·25 | 32·8 | 674 |
| 4. Dundee . | 180,700 | 81 | 19 | 32 | 4 | 1 | 29 | 8·4 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 20 | 46 | 26 | 34·6 | 0·19 | 36·2 | 781 |
| 5. Paisley . . | 96,900 | 45 | 7 | 29 | 8 | 2 | 23 | 12·4 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 14 | 42 | 26 | 33·2 | 0·16 | 25·6 | 590 |
| 6. Greenock . | 78,200 | 35 | 7 | 30 | 4 | 3 | 29 | 19·3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 15 | 44 | 29 | 35·4 | 0·30 | 37·2 | 608 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 72,500 | 30 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 8·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 707 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy . | 52,400 | 17 | 9 | 19 | 5 | 1 | 15 | 14·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 384 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 53,300 | 22 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 6 | 12 | 11·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 333 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,400 | 10 | 7 | 11 | 5 | 2 | 8 | 9·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 325 |
| 11. Clydebank | 51,100 | 21 | 1 | 4 | .. | 3 | 7 | 7·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 455 |
| 12. Ayr . . . | 44,300 | 16 | 6 | 14 | 7 | .. | 7 | 8·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 402 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 45,400 | 21 | 4 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 10·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 47 | 23 | 32·9 | 0·14 | 29·6 | 261 |
| 14. Perth . . | 41,100 | 16 | 4 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 14·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | 6 | 48 | 22 | 32·6 | 0·05 | 33·2 | 217 |
| 15. Hamilton . | 41,500 | 23 | 5 | 3 | .. | 5 | 8 | 10·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 651 |
| 16. Falkirk . | 37,300 | 14 | 6 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 327 |
| 17. Airdrie . | 33,000 | 17 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 7·9 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 299 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 13th Feb. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 997 | 293 | 702 | 116 | 53 | 639 | 12·8 | 22 | 18 | 2 | 28 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 10 | 28 | 46 | 117 | 96 | 29 | 382 | 48† | 22‡ | 33·8‡ | 0·19‡ | 31·2‡ | |
| 6th Feb. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1050 | 280 | 743 | 133 | 80 | 690 | 13·8 | 19 | 18 | .. | 29 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 13 | 13 | 34 | 46 | 135 | 103 | 27 | 434 | 53† | 26† | 42·8‡ | 1·38‡ | 15·0‡ | |
| 14th Feb. 1959 . | 2,598,900 | 1092 | 446 | 1204 | 166 | 108 | 1146 | 22·9 | 23 | 27 | 4 | 43 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 31 | 14 | 14 | 117 | 169 | 120 | 118 | 30 | 761 | 51† | 25† | 37·1‡ | 0·28‡ | 3·8‡ | |

Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. ‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1957.
Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices. † Weekly extremes. ‡ Weekly means.

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No. 7

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 20th February 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 20th February 1960, the births of 1,019 living children, and of 26 stillborn children, 257 marriages and 712 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.1 and the death-rate 14.2. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 25 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 more than in the previous week, and 0.2 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.8 less than in the previous week, and 4.2 below the average. The death-rate is 1.4 more than in the previous week, but 2.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 22.6 in Hamilton to 8.8 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 14.7 and in Edinburgh 13.9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 1 and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 5 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 86, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but 0.8 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 1 more than in the previous week. Of these, 17 were aged 0-6 days and 5 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 447, and are 65 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 25, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 16th February 1960, was 20,473. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 30.8° being 3.0° below that for the previous week, and 7.6° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.46 inch, and the mean sunshine 31.7 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 7 — Week ended Saturday, 20th February 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **TOTAL** | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | | | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **TOTAL** | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dundee B. | .. | 28 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| **TOTAL** | .. | 28 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 23 |

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| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 25 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 23 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 30 | .. | 9 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 103 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 8 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 2 | 416 | .. | 5 | 1 | 113 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | 3 | 131 | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 2 | 18 | .. | 25 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 111 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 4 | 469 | .. | 5 | 1 | 229 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 5 | 191 | 11 | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 55 | .. | 51 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 141 |
| Grand Total for 20-2-60 | 4 | 505 | .. | 5 | 1 | 290 | .. | 13 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 34 | 1 | .. | 7 | 235 | 11 | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 109 | .. | 76 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 181 |
| ,, ,, 13-2-60 | 5 | 375 | .. | 4 | .. | 305 | .. | 12 | 4 | 4 | .. | .. | 11 | 4 | .. | 11 | 242 | 17 | .. | 1 | 7 | 4 | 85 | .. | 67 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 230 |
| ,, ,, 21-2-59 | 13 | 181 | .. | 6 | 3 | 110 | .. | 8 | 3 | 1 | .. | 1 | 918 | 3 | .. | 140 | 567 | 57 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 6 | 87 | .. | 96 | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 92 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 7

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 20th FEBRUARY 1960
# RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 16th FEBRUARY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1958 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 16th Feb 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,078,400 | 415 | 113 | 314 | 36 | 27 | 305 | 14·7 | 18 | 7 | 2 | 11 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | 3 | 13 | 33 | 42 | 53 | 11 | 181 | 40 | 12 | 30·4 | 0·61 | 28·9 | 5809 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 469,800 | 177 | 42 | 134 | 14 | 5 | 125 | 13·9 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | 5 | 17 | 31 | 4 | 89 | 39 | 23 | 30·6 | 0·46 | 35·0 | 1595 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,500 | 63 | 16 | 60 | 10 | 3 | 53 | 14·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 12 | 3 | 33 | 38 | 18 | 28·9 | 0·35 | 30·2 | 723 |
| 4. Dundee | 180,700 | 72 | 14 | 43 | 3 | 1 | 41 | 11·8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 11 | 6 | 4 | 26 | 39 | 21 | 31·0 | 0·24 | 34·8 | 744 |
| 5. Paisley | 96,900 | 35 | 6 | 31 | 6 | .. | 25 | 13·4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 7 | .. | 17 | 41 | 20 | 32·4 | 0·71 | 32·5 | 614 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,200 | 32 | 14 | 24 | 6 | .. | 18 | 12·0 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | 11 | 41 | 23 | 32·3 | 0·37 | 29·5 | 584 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 72,500 | 37 | 6 | 16 | 5 | 6 | 17 | 12·2 | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 683 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,400 | 12 | 3 | 16 | 3 | 2 | 15 | 14·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 340 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 53,300 | 29 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 8·8 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 344 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,400 | 16 | 4 | 15 | 4 | 2 | 13 | 14·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 342 |
| 11. Clydebank | 51,100 | 25 | 5 | 11 | 3 | 6 | 14 | 14·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 471 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,300 | 13 | 5 | 15 | 4 | 4 | 15 | 17·7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 6 | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 348 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 45,400 | 18 | 2 | 18 | 3 | 2 | 17 | 19·5 | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 1 | .. | 10 | 40 | 13 | 30·6 | 0·57 | 30·1 | 278 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 21 | 8 | 12 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 11·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 38 | 12 | 29·9 | 0·34 | 32·3 | 218 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,500 | 22 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 18 | 22·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 9 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 637 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,300 | 11 | 4 | 12 | 4 | .. | 8 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 286 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,000 | 21 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 15·8 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 277 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 20th Feb. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1019 | 257 | 744 | 110 | 78 | 712 | 14·2 | 26 | 17 | 5 | 29 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 31 | 55 | 110 | 147 | 25 | 447 | 41† | 12‡ | 30·8‡ | 0·46‡ | 31·7‡ | |
| 13th Feb. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 997 | 293 | 702 | 116 | 53 | 639 | 12·8 | 22 | 18 | 2 | 28 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 10 | 28 | 46 | 117 | 96 | 29 | 382 | 48† | 22† | 33·8‡ | 0·19‡ | 31·2‡ | |
| 21st Feb. 1959 | 2,598,900 | 1012 | 300 | 1064 | 135 | 94 | 1023 | 20·4 | 25 | 16 | 2 | 36 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 27 | 11 | 11 | 99 | 107 | 113 | 118 | 36 | 694 | 54† | 30† | 42·8‡ | 0·26‡ | 19·1‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 8

ROYAL SOCIETY OF HEALTH

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 27th February 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 27th February 1960, the births of 1,069 living children, and of 28 stillborn children, 471 marriages and 794 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage rate 9.4 and the death-rate 15.9. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 26 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.0 more than in the previous week, and 1.9 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 4.3 more than in the previous week, but 0.3 below the average. The death-rate is 1.7 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.4 in Kilmarnock and 18.0 in Greenock to 11.8 in Paisley and 11.3 in Hamilton. In Glasgow and in Edinburgh the rate was 16.8.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases—it was due to meningococcal meningitis.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 9, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 98, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2.0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, but 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 41, being 12 more than in the previous week. Of these, 20 were aged 0-6 days and 7 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 494, and are 47 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 30, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 23rd February 1960, was 22,106. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 37.2° being 6.4° above that for the previous week, but 1.9° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.53 inches, and the mean sunshine 21.1 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 8 — Week ended Saturday, 27th February 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping-Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **Northern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | | | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **North-Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 23 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 1 | 32 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 1 | 32 | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |

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| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 42 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 21 | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | 47 | .. | .. | 2 | 22 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 23 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | 1 | 29 | .. | .. | .. | 41 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 2 | 365 | .. | 1 | .. | 103 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 108 | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 17 | .. | 31 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 110 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 3 | 432 | .. | 1 | .. | 172 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | 1 | 167 | 16 | .. | 2 | 5 | 5 | 42 | .. | 41 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 142 |
| Grand Total for 27-2-60 | 4 | 471 | .. | 1 | .. | 238 | 2 | 9 | 7 | 2 | .. | 1 | 54 | 5 | .. | 5 | 214 | 18 | .. | 2 | 5 | 5 | 73 | .. | 66 | 8 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 174 |
| ,, ,, 26-2-60 | 4 | 505 | .. | 5 | 1 | 290 | .. | 13 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 34 | 1 | .. | 7 | 235 | 11 | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 109 | .. | 76 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 181 |
| ,, ,, 28-2-59 | 21 | 156 | .. | .. | 4 | 122 | .. | 13 | 6 | 1 | .. | 1 | 868 | 6 | .. | 169 | 553 | 40 | .. | .. | 4 | 18 | 78 | .. | 87 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 51 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 8

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 27th FEBRUARY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 23rd FEBRUARY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1958 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 23rd Feb. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,078,400 | 468 | 189 | 347 | 27 | 27 | 347 | 16·8 | 14 | 10 | 3 | 20 | 4 | 7 | .. | 1 | 6 | 6 | 17 | 29 | 61 | 48 | 10 | 211 | 51 | 27 | 36·5 | 1·34 | 10·3 | 5924 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 469,800 | 166 | 91 | 165 | 23 | 9 | 151 | 16·8 | 5 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 12 | 7 | 27 | 24 | 4 | 94 | 54 | 28 | 37·8 | 0·87 | 27·5 | 1786 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,500 | 71 | 28 | 66 | 10 | 1 | 57 | 15·9 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 11 | 15 | 4 | 35 | 50 | 23 | 35·9 | 1·82 | 28·7 | 810 |
| 4. Dundee | 180,700 | 81 | 26 | 45 | 8 | 5 | 42 | 12·1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 11 | 3 | 31 | 51 | 28 | 36·9 | 1·58 | 32·1 | 795 |
| 5. Paisley | 96,900 | 34 | 14 | 25 | 8 | 5 | 22 | 11·8 | 2 | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 4 | 1 | 14 | 51 | 27 | 37·9 | 1·55 | 15·3 | 628 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,200 | 29 | 22 | 30 | 3 | .. | 27 | 18·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 18 | 51 | 31 | 37·6 | 2·44 | 11·3 | 623 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 72,500 | 42 | 7 | 17 | 4 | 10 | 23 | 16·5 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 7 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 802 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,400 | 17 | 7 | 20 | 8 | 2 | 14 | 13·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 369 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 53,300 | 35 | 15 | 8 | 3 | 8 | 13 | 12·7 | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 436 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,400 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 5 | 3 | 12 | 13·5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 326 |
| 11. Clydebank | 51,100 | 15 | 9 | 10 | 3 | 5 | 12 | 12·2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 481 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,300 | 17 | 5 | 16 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 17·7 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 369 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 45,400 | 26 | 7 | 16 | 3 | 3 | 16 | 18·4 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 62 | 26 | 39·4 | 1·19 | 16·1 | 300 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 8 | 9 | 15 | 3 | 2 | 14 | 17·8 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 11 | 50 | 19 | 35·5 | 1·44 | 27·4 | 181 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,500 | 17 | 8 | 8 | .. | 1 | 9 | 11·3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 705 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,300 | 12 | 9 | 16 | 5 | .. | 11 | 15·4 | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 354 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,000 | 15 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 14·2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 331 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 27th Feb. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1069 | 471 | 824 | 118 | 88 | 794 | 15·9 | 28 | 20 | 7 | 41 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 9 | 44 | 54 | 131 | 135 | 30 | 494 | 62† | 19‡ | 37·2‡ | 1·53‡ | 21·1‡ | |
| 20th Feb. 1960 | 2,608,800 | 1019 | 257 | 744 | 110 | 78 | 712 | 14·2 | 26 | 17 | 5 | 29 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 31 | 55 | 110 | 147 | 25 | 447 | 41† | 12† | 30·8‡ | 0·46‡ | 31·7‡ | |
| 28th Feb. 1959 | 2,598,900 | 1014 | 291 | 1067 | 154 | 115 | 1028 | 20·5 | 25 | 21 | 7 | 39 | 5 | 19 | 3 | 58 | 16 | 16 | 95 | 94 | 119 | 129 | 27 | 719 | 55† | 33† | 46·8‡ | 0·66‡ | 7·2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. ‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1957.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices. † Weekly extremes. ‡ Weekly means.

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No. 9

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 5th March 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 5th March 1960, the births of 1,100 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 712 marriages and 705 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 22.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 14.2 and the death-rate 14.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 20 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.6 more than in the previous week, and 2.3 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 4.8 more than in the previous week, and 5.5 above the average. The death-rate is 1.8 less than in the previous week, and 2.6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.7 in Ayr and 17.3 in Greenock to 6.8 in Kilmarnock and 4.7 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 15.0 and in Edinburgh 13.9.

There were 3 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. All were due to meningococcal septicæmia.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 10, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 80, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.4 less than in the previous week, and 0.8 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 31, being 10 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 17 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 446, and are 48 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 48, and are 18 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 1st March 1960, was 21,375. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 45.2° being 8.0° above that for the previous week, and 5.0° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.75 inch, and the mean sunshine 9.7 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 9 — Week ended Saturday, 5th March 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping-Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **Northern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **Total** | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | | | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **North-Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| **Total** | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| **Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Dundee B. | 3 | 25 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **Total** | 3 | 25 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | 12 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |

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| Berwick C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 34 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 31 | .. | 2 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 6 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| TOTAL | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 50 | .. | 5 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 57 | .. | .. | 3 | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 21 | .. | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 18 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 35 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 24 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Glasgow B. | 4 | 487 | .. | 5 | .. | 121 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | 2 | .. | 3 | 83 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | 19 | .. | 16 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 108 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 28 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 5 | 537 | .. | 5 | .. | 183 | .. | 6 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | 4 | 140 | 10 | .. | .. | 5 | 3 | 43 | .. | 41 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 134 |
| Grand Total for 5-3-60 | 8 | 574 | .. | 5 | .. | 264 | .. | 16 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 70 | 5 | .. | 10 | 179 | 13 | .. | .. | 6 | 3 | 90 | .. | 60 | 8 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 182 |
| ,, ,, 27-2-60 | 4 | 471 | .. | 1 | .. | 238 | 2 | 9 | 7 | 2 | .. | 1 | 54 | 5 | .. | 5 | 214 | 18 | .. | 2 | 5 | 5 | 73 | .. | 66 | 8 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 174 |
| ,, ,, 7-3-59 | 19 | 177 | .. | 6 | 1 | 146 | .. | 9 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 897 | 3 | .. | 120 | 520 | 34 | 1 | .. | 4 | 6 | 65 | .. | 66 | 17 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 42 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 9

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 5th MARCH 1960
# RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 1st MARCH 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic‡ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 1st Mar. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 468 | 375 | 329 | 42 | 21 | 308 | 15·0 | 12 | 6 | .. | 14 | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | 6 | 6 | 22 | 17 | 45 | 55 | 19 | 181 | 56 | 31 | 44·8 | 0·96 | 1·8 | 5826 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 167 | 83 | 131 | 14 | 8 | 125 | 13·9 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 3 | 18 | 28 | 9 | 89 | 57 | 35 | 46·4 | 0·33 | 18·8 | 1776 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 89 | 33 | 51 | 11 | 2 | 42 | 11·8 | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 28 | 57 | 33 | 44·5 | 0·26 | 27·0 | 709 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 66 | 29 | 46 | 4 | 6 | 48 | 13·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 5 | 15 | 4 | 3 | 26 | 54 | 31 | 44·0 | 0·45 | 8·3 | 750 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 58 | 25 | 31 | 9 | 4 | 26 | 14·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 22 | 56 | 32 | 45·6 | 0·98 | 3·0 | 635 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 39 | 17 | 30 | 6 | 2 | 26 | 17·3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 17 | 55 | 34 | 45·3 | 1.52 | 2·2 | 639 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 34 | 15 | 15 | 4 | 9 | 20 | 14·3 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 769 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 3 | 3 | 14 | 13·9 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 399 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 17 | 18 | 7 | .. | 8 | 15 | 14·5 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 2 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 390 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 27 | 11 | 11 | 5 | 2 | 8 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 343 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 21 | 19 | 9 | 2 | 8 | 15 | 15·1 | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 465 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 18 | 13 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 16 | 18·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 379 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 24 | 9 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 6·8 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | 57 | 32 | 46·9 | 0·95 | 9·4 | 271 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 13 | 10 | 12 | 3 | 3 | 12 | 15·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 8 | 54 | 30 | 44·1 | 0·56 | 7·3 | 240 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 17 | 14 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 15·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 4 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 675 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 11 | 10 | 18 | 9 | .. | 9 | 12·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 327 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 17 | 17 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4·7 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 265 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 5th Mar. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1100 | 712 | 737 | 117 | 85 | 705 | 14·1 | 22 | 17 | 1 | 31 | 1 | 8 | .. | 3 | 10 | 10 | 42 | 38 | 112 | 125 | 48 | 446 | 57† | 30‡ | 45·2‡ | 0·75‡ | 9·7‡ | |
| 27th Feb. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1069 | 471 | 824 | 118 | 88 | 794 | 15·9 | 28 | 20 | 7 | 41 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 9 | 44 | 54 | 131 | 135 | 30 | 494 | 62† | 19† | 37·2‡ | 1·53‡ | 21·1‡ | |
| 7th Mar. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1082 | 414 | 917 | 138 | 81 | 860 | 17·2 | 25 | 19 | 4 | 34 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 28 | 9 | 9 | 82 | 63 | 104 | 108 | 30 | 583 | 57† | 32† | 44·7‡ | 0·43‡ | 11·9‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

‡ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 10

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

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Week ended 12th March 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 12th March 1960, the births of 992 living children, and of 18 stillborn children, 537 marriages and 619 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.8 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 10.7 and the death-rate 12.4. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 18 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 2.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.8 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 3.5 less than in the previous week, and 1.2 below the average. The death-rate is 1.7 less than in the previous week, and 1.9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.6 in Ayr to 5.0 in Motherwell & Wishaw. In Glasgow the rate was 12.9 and in Edinburgh 14.4.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. One was due to meningococcal septicæmia and 1 to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 9, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—1 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 53, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.5 less than in the previous week, and 0.7 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 27, being 4 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0–6 days and 2 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 406, and are 40 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 25, and are 23 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 8th March 1960, was 19,729. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 38.9° being 6.3° below that for the previous week, and 0.7° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901–1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.33 inch, and the mean sunshine 12.1 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 10 — Week ended Saturday, 12th March 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping-Cough |
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| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | | | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 35 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 35 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |

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| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 68 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 37 | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 72 | .. | .. | 2 | 18 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | 10 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Glasgow B. | 3 | 435 | .. | .. | 1 | 108 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | 1 | 92 | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 18 | .. | 24 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 104 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 54 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 5 | 516 | .. | .. | 1 | 143 | .. | 4 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | 3 | 147 | 9 | .. | 1 | 3 | 2 | 29 | .. | 46 | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 143 |
| Grand Total for 12-3-60 | 6 | 553 | .. | .. | 1 | 192 | .. | 9 | 3 | 5 | .. | .. | 83 | 3 | .. | 7 | 185 | 11 | .. | 1 | 3 | 2 | 59 | .. | 62 | 13 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 171 |
| " " 5-3-60 | 8 | 574 | .. | 5 | .. | 264 | .. | 16 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 70 | 5 | .. | 10 | 179 | 13 | .. | .. | 6 | 3 | 90 | .. | 60 | 8 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 182 |
| " " 14-3-59 | 8 | 159 | .. | 6 | 3 | 136 | .. | 13 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 967 | 5 | .. | 108 | 401 | 26 | 3 | .. | 3 | 6 | 47 | .. | 88 | 14 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 59 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 10

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 12th MARCH 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 8th MARCH 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 8th Mar 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 445 | 224 | 275 | 29 | 20 | 266 | 12·9 | 6 | 10 | .. | 13 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 7 | 8 | 14 | 37 | 42 | 8 | 168 | 53 | 27 | 38·8 | 0·14 | 15·4 | 5203 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 163 | 100 | 140 | 16 | 6 | 130 | 14·4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 9 | 20 | 21 | 13 | 93 | 46 | 26 | 37·7 | 0·12 | 12·0 | 1706 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 57 | 42 | 51 | 14 | 2 | 39 | 10·9 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 12 | 6 | .. | 32 | 41 | 26 | 37·0 | 0·65 | 0·4 | 683 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 76 | 31 | 50 | 8 | 3 | 45 | 12·9 | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 9 | 11 | .. | 25 | 44 | 28 | 38·4 | 0·56 | 4·6 | 714 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 32 | 15 | 22 | 2 | 2 | 22 | 11·8 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 55 | 28 | 40·4 | 0·17 | 16·7 | 564 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 32 | 14 | 22 | 4 | .. | 18 | 12·0 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | .. | 11 | 52 | 29 | 39·7 | 0.30 | 19·3 | 574 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 23 | 13 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 5·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 723 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 21 | 15 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 10 | 9·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 329 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 16 | 13 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 10 | 9·6 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 354 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 10 | 13 | 15 | 3 | 3 | 15 | 16·7 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 322 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 18 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 7·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 479 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 14 | 13 | 16 | 5 | 4 | 15 | 17·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 328 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 25 | 6 | 17 | 6 | 1 | 12 | 13·6 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 8 | 51 | 27 | 40·5 | 0·10 | 19·3 | 271 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 17 | 9 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 10·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 6 | 47 | 27 | 38·7 | 0·56 | 9·1 | 185 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 18 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 7·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 568 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 10 | 7 | 12 | 7 | .. | 5 | 6·9 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 283 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 15 | 10 | 3 | .. | 1 | 4 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 297 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 12th Mar. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 992 | 537 | 667 | 109 | 61 | 619 | 12·4 | 18 | 16 | 2 | 27 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 9 | 21 | 32 | 100 | 104 | 25 | 406 | 55† | 26‡ | 38·9‡ | 0·33‡ | 12·1‡ | |
| 5th Mar. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1100 | 712 | 737 | 117 | 85 | 705 | 14·1 | 22 | 17 | 1 | 31 | 1 | 8 | .. | 3 | 10 | 10 | 42 | 38 | 112 | 125 | 48 | 446 | 57† | 30† | 45·2‡ | 0·75‡ | 9·7‡ | |
| 14th Mar. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1033 | 558 | 812 | 138 | 63 | 737 | 14·7 | 22 | 24 | 2 | 34 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 31 | 8 | 7 | 55 | 49 | 93 | 96 | 25 | 485 | 54† | 28† | 42·8‡ | 0·68‡ | 14·4‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 11

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 19th March 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 19th March 1960, the births of 1,031 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 513 marriages and 603 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.6 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 10.3 and the death-rate 12.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 22 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.8 more than in the previous week, and 0.8 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.4 less than in the previous week, and 1.5 below the average. The death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 1.5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 19.4 in Falkirk to 6.2 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 11.8 and in Edinburgh 14.1.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 9, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 46, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.7 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 32, being 5 more than in the previous week. Of these, 18 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 377, and are 29 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 25, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 15th March 1960, was 18,586. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 42.2° being 3.3° above that for the previous week, and 1.2° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.01 inches, and the mean sunshine 1.5 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 11 — Week ended Saturday, 19th March 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | 8 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 1 | 20 | .. | .. | .. | 20 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | 20 | .. | .. | .. | 24 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 41 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 20 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| TOTAL | .. | 12 | .. | .. | 1 | 31 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 53 | .. | .. | 1 | 20 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Clydebank B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 38 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Glasgow B. | 7 | 498 | .. | 5 | 1 | 108 | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | 102 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 5 | 19 | .. | 24 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 113 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 31 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 8 | 552 | .. | 5 | 1 | 162 | .. | 4 | 4 | 1 | .. | 1 | 9 | 4 | .. | 3 | 146 | 9 | .. | .. | 4 | 6 | 44 | .. | 53 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 147 |
| Grand Total for 19-3-60 | 9 | 584 | .. | 5 | 2 | 236 | .. | 5 | 7 | 3 | .. | 1 | 64 | 6 | .. | 6 | 193 | 11 | .. | .. | 5 | 6 | 82 | .. | 68 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 193 |
| " " 12-3-60 | 6 | 553 | .. | .. | 1 | 192 | .. | 9 | 3 | 5 | .. | .. | 83 | 3 | .. | 7 | 185 | 11 | .. | 1 | 3 | 2 | 59 | .. | 62 | 13 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 171 |
| " " 21-3-59 | 6 | 132 | .. | 2 | 1 | 136 | .. | 7 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 1136 | .. | .. | 58 | 286 | 25 | 1 | .. | 3 | 4 | 66 | .. | 95 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 55 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 11

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 19th MARCH 1960
## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 15th MARCH 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All Forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 15th Mar. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 468 | 204 | 255 | 33 | 20 | 242 | 11·8 | 9 | 6 | 2 | 17 | 2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | 3 | 5 | 14 | 46 | 39 | 14 | 140 | 53 | 35 | 42·4 | 1·13 | 2·7 | 4939 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 150 | 110 | 136 | 16 | 7 | 127 | 14·1 | 8 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 21 | 36 | 2 | 85 | 53 | 34 | 41·4 | 0·65 | 5·1 | 1601 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 57 | 39 | 62 | 17 | 2 | 47 | 13·2 | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | 9 | 9 | 1 | 30 | 45 | 36 | 39·8 | 0·46 | 0·3 | 746 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 84 | 29 | 42 | 8 | 1 | 35 | 10·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 3 | 22 | 47 | 37 | 41·4 | 1·18 | 0·9 | 713 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 38 | 14 | 28 | 10 | 3 | 21 | 11·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 12 | 53 | 36 | 43·3 | 1·17 | 0·8 | 501 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 30 | 8 | 16 | 4 | 1 | 13 | 8·7 | 2 | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 8 | 52 | 36 | 42·7 | 1·67 | 0·3 | 543 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 32 | 18 | 11 | 2 | 7 | 16 | 11·4 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 662 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 18 | 16 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 9·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 306 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 27 | 3 | 9 | 3 | 5 | 11 | 10·6 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 327 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 14 | 12 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 10·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 284 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 27 | 4 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 10·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 1 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 447 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 14 | 11 | 12 | 2 | 5 | 15 | 17·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 4 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 327 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 13 | 9 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 10·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 56 | 36 | 44·7 | 0·84 | 1·5 | 226 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 8·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | 47 | 37 | 41·6 | 0·97 | 0·2 | 185 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 17 | 8 | 5 | .. | 8 | 13 | 16·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 4 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 556 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 14 | 12 | 16 | 6 | 4 | 14 | 19·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 285 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 16 | 6 | 1 | .. | 3 | 4 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 244 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 19th Mar. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1031 | 513 | 642 | 116 | 77 | 603 | 12·1 | 23 | 18 | 2 | 32 | 3 | 6 | 2 | .. | 9 | 9 | 14 | 32 | 110 | 110 | 25 | 377 | 56† | 34‡ | 42·2‡ | 1·01‡ | 1·5‡ | |
| 12th Mar. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 992 | 537 | 667 | 109 | 61 | 619 | 12·4 | 18 | 16 | 2 | 27 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 9 | 21 | 32 | 100 | 104 | 25 | 406 | 55† | 26† | 38·9‡ | 0·33‡ | 12·1‡ | |
| 21st Mar. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1120 | 598 | 785 | 130 | 98 | 753 | 15·1 | 27 | 26 | 5 | 42 | 11 | 10 | .. | 17 | 11 | 10 | 40 | 41 | 92 | 122 | 38 | 472 | 56† | 30† | 41·8‡ | 0·01‡ | 28·4‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland. ‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes. ‡ Weekly means

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No. 12

THE ROYAL SOCIETY for the Promotion OF HEALTH LIBRARY

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 26th March 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 26th March 1960, the births of 1,063 living children, and of 25 stillborn children, 761 marriages and 603 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.3 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 15.2 and the death-rate 12.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 23 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.7 more than in the previous week, and 0.4 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 4.9 more than in the previous week, but 0.6 below the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 2.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.1 in Paisley to 6.2 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 12.4 and in Edinburgh 13.3.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 2, both of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—7 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 55, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but 0.4 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 31, being 1 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 20 were aged 0–6 days and 6 were aged 7–27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 362, and are 15 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 20, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 22nd March 1960, was 17,954. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 43.3° being 1.1° above that for the previous week, and 2.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.20 inch, and the mean sunshine 28.1 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 12 — Week ended Saturday, 26th March 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **Northern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **North-Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dundee B. | 2 | 23 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 21 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 2 | 23 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 22 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |

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| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 83 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 36 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 49 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 89 | .. | .. | 1 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 14 | .. | 15 | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 9 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 8 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 20 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 13 | 457 | .. | .. | 3 | 102 | .. | 2 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | 1 | 91 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 3 | 23 | .. | 20 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 108 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 36 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 14 | 518 | .. | .. | 3 | 120 | .. | 6 | 7 | 5 | .. | .. | 12 | 3 | .. | 1 | 117 | 8 | .. | .. | 6 | 3 | 60 | .. | 35 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 161 |
| Grand Total for 26-3-60 | 16 | 548 | .. | .. | 3 | 185 | .. | 8 | 10 | 5 | .. | 1 | 102 | 3 | .. | 3 | 164 | 13 | .. | .. | 7 | 3 | 87 | .. | 54 | 10 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 186 |
| 19-3-60 | 9 | 584 | .. | 5 | 2 | 236 | .. | 5 | 7 | 3 | .. | 1 | 64 | 6 | .. | 6 | 193 | 11 | .. | .. | 5 | 6 | 82 | .. | 68 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 193 |
| ,, ,, 28 3-59 | 7 | 95 | .. | .. | 1 | 112 | .. | 10 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 737 | 2 | .. | 59 | 235 | 17 | 1 | .. | 3 | 5 | 59 | .. | 80 | 7 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 34 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 12

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 26th MARCH 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 22nd MARCH 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 22nd Mar. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 460 | 326 | 269 | 33 | 20 | 256 | 12·4 | 13 | 9 | 3 | 14 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | 11 | 49 | 36 | 7 | 146 | 57 | 34 | 43·7 | 0·17 | 31·6 | 4997 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 169 | 142 | 131 | 16 | 5 | 120 | 13·3 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 25 | 25 | 7 | 74 | 52 | 33 | 42·0 | 0·03 | 26·5 | 1412 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 71 | 53 | 58 | 14 | 1 | 45 | 12·6 | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 7 | 11 | 3 | 33 | 47 | 33 | 39·9 | 0·13 | 12·9 | 666 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 76 | 42 | 36 | 4 | 5 | 37 | 10·6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 10 | 4 | .. | 22 | 51 | 37 | 42·6 | 0·13 | 18·9 | 754 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 42 | 27 | 36 | 10 | 2 | 28 | 15·1 | 3 | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 5 | .. | 19 | 59 | 35 | 45·2 | 0·19 | 33·8 | 512 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 27 | 19 | 16 | 2 | .. | 14 | 9·3 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | 11 | 56 | 36 | 44·5 | 0.35 | 34·7 | 527 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 33 | 25 | 13 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 9·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 588 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 26 | 25 | 15 | 7 | 1 | 9 | 8·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 308 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 29 | 6 | 7 | .. | 8 | 15 | 14·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 300 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 14 | 14 | 18 | 10 | .. | 8 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 292 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 24 | 6 | 10 | 2 | 3 | 11 | 11·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 393 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 18 | 16 | 13 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 10·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 327 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 23 | 14 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 9·1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | 59 | 37 | 45·6 | 0·42 | 44·8 | 262 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 17 | 9 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 12·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 8 | 51 | 35 | 42·6 | 0·14 | 21·3 | 177 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 13 | 13 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 13·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 518 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 14 | 11 | 15 | 10 | .. | 5 | 6·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 250 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 7 | 13 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 214 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 26th Mar. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1063 | 761 | 672 | 124 | 55 | 603 | 12·1 | 25 | 20 | 6 | 31 | 6 | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 30 | 25 | 114 | 106 | 20 | 362 | 59† | 33‡ | 43·3‡ | 0·20‡ | 28·1‡ | |
| 19th Mar. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1031 | 513 | 642 | 116 | 77 | 603 | 12·1 | 23 | 18 | 2 | 32 | 3 | 6 | 2 | .. | 9 | 9 | 14 | 32 | 110 | 110 | 25 | 377 | 56† | 34† | 42·2‡ | 1·01‡ | 1·5‡ | |
| 28th Mar. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 975 | 878 | 743 | 110 | 77 | 710 | 14·2 | 18 | 20 | 4 | 36 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 14 | 9 | 7 | 47 | 42 | 116 | 107 | 30 | 434 | 59† | 34† | 46·4‡ | 0·45‡ | 25·7‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 13

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 2nd April 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 2nd April 1960, the births of 1,082 living children, and of 30 stillborn children, 1,162 marriages and 620 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.6 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 23.2 and the death-rate 12.4. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 27 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.3 more than in the previous week, and 1.3 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 8.0 more than in the previous week, but 0.3 below the average. The death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, but 0.9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.6 in Dunfermline and 15.2 in Ayr to 6.7 in Coatbridge and 6.0 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 12.9 and in Edinburgh 13.1.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 38, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.6 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 27, being 4 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0-6 days and 5 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 378, and are 16 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 44, and are 24 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 29th March 1960, was 17,649. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 42.1° being 1.2° below that for the previous week, and 0.2° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.60 inch, and the mean sunshine 27.9 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 13 — Week ended Saturday, 2nd April 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping-Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | ... | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Dundee B. | 1 | 26 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | 26 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 21 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 8 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 29 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 20 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | ... | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | 2 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 35 | .. | 3 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 36 | .. | .. | 4 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 16 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 23 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 23 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Coatbridge B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 6 | 505 | .. | 8 | .. | 112 | 1 | 2 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | 107 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | 24 | .. | 16 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 145 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 23 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 57 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 10 | 604 | .. | 8 | 2 | 147 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | 9 | 1 | .. | 1 | 157 | 7 | .. | .. | 4 | 9 | 48 | .. | 40 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 178 |
| Grand Total for 2-4-60 | 11 | 634 | .. | 8 | 2 | 211 | 1 | 9 | 11 | 4 | .. | .. | 51 | 1 | .. | 5 | 200 | 9 | .. | .. | 4 | 10 | 69 | .. | 70 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 230 |
| ,, ,, 26-3-60 | 16 | 548 | .. | .. | 3 | 185 | .. | 8 | 10 | 5 | .. | 1 | 102 | 3 | .. | 3 | 164 | 13 | .. | .. | 7 | 3 | 87 | .. | 54 | 10 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 186 |
| ,, ,, 4-4-59 | 14 | 115 | .. | 4 | 3 | 180 | | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 936 | 6 | .. | 23 | 266 | 30 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 8 | 60 | .. | 62 | 10 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 44 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 13

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 2nd APRIL 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 29th MARCH 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths. | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 29th Mar. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow . | 1,075,800 | 516 | 506 | 283 | 30 | 13 | 266 | 12·9 | 15 | 7 | 5 | 16 | 3 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 53 | 38 | 28 | 142 | 51 | 32 | 42·3 | 0·13 | 30·7 | 4817 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 172 | 201 | 132 | 20 | 6 | 118 | 13·1 | 3 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 23 | 16 | 7 | 76 | 49 | 35 | 41·2 | 0·10 | 28·7 | 1363 |
| 3. Aberdeen . | 186,900 | 69 | 74 | 68 | 25 | 2 | 45 | 12·6 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 10 | 12 | 2 | 26 | 46 | 31 | 39·5 | 0·46 | 32·6 | 624 |
| 4. Dundee . | 181,800 | 71 | 91 | 52 | 10 | 5 | 47 | 13·5 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 9 | 6 | 1 | 29 | 52 | 35 | 42·7 | 1·22 | 31·5 | 671 |
| 5. Paisley . . | 97,200 | 21 | 49 | 25 | 9 | .. | 16 | 8·6 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 52 | 35 | 43·4 | 0·36 | 25·9 | 498 |
| 6. Greenock . | 78,400 | 35 | 23 | 19 | 4 | .. | 15 | 10·0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | ... | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 50 | 34 | 42·6 | 1.46 | 26·2 | 485 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 25 | 33 | 15 | 3 | 7 | 19 | 13·6 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | 4 | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 605 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy . | 52,700 | 20 | 27 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 12·9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 294 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 23 | 16 | 11 | 4 | .. | 7 | 6·7 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 334 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 19 | 23 | 14 | 5 | 5 | 14 | 15·6 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 284 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 22 | 23 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 6·0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 435 |
| 12. Ayr . . . | 44,600 | 2 | 10 | 18 | 6 | 1 | 13 | 15·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 323 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 20 | 21 | 13 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 10·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 6 | 55 | 33 | 43.5 | 0·20 | 22·4 | 231 |
| 14. Perth . . | 41,100 | 11 | 15 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 12·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 8 | 50 | 30 | 41·3 | 0·60 | 25·1 | 143 |
| 15. Hamilton . | 41,900 | 21 | 17 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 10·0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 583 |
| 16. Falkirk . | 37,700 | 16 | 17 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 9·7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 263 |
| 17. Airdrie . | 33,700 | 19 | 16 | 2 | .. | 5 | 7 | 10·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 198 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 2nd April 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 1082 | 1162 | 696 | 130 | 54 | 620 | 12·4 | 30 | 14 | 5 | 27 | 4 | 7 | .. | .. | 5 | 5 | 14 | 24 | 117 | 100 | 44 | 378 | 55† | 30‡ | 42·1‡ | 0·60‡ | 27·9‡ | |
| 26th Mar. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1063 | 761 | 672 | 124 | 55 | 603 | 12·1 | 25 | 20 | 6 | 31 | 6 | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 30 | 25 | 114 | 106 | 20 | 362 | 59† | 33† | 43·3‡ | 0·20‡ | 28·1‡ | |
| 4th April 1959 . | 2,608,800‖ | 1184 | 1485 | 725 | 130 | 71 | 666 | 13·3 | 20 | 31 | .. | 41 | 10 | 4 | .. | 7 | 6 | 5 | 39 | 34 | 108 | 121 | 25 | 454 | 58† | 32† | 47·0‡ | 0·39‡ | 25·2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 14

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL, SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 9th April 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 9th April 1960, the births of 1,099 living children, and of 24 stillborn children, 902 marriages and 642 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 22.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 18.0 and the death-rate 12.8. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.4 more than in the previous week, and 1.0 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 5.2 less than in the previous week, and 11.9 below the average. The death-rate is 0.4 more than in the previous week, but 0.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 23.1 in Paisley to 6.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 12.7 and in Edinburgh 13.7.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 3, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. 2 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 70, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.6 more than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 24, being 3 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 418, and are 40 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 29, and are 15 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 5th April 1960, was 17,503. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 49.1° being 7.0° above that for the previous week, and 6.0° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.30 inches, and the mean sunshine 17.5 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 14 — Week ended Saturday, 9th April 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dundee B. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 43 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **Total** | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 52 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | 11 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 27 |
| **Western Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | 1 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 5 | 441 | .. | 2 | .. | 134 | .. | 2 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | 2 | .. | 1 | 105 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 12 | .. | 36 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 125 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 39 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 6 | 510 | .. | 2 | .. | 177 | .. | 5 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | 2 | .. | 11 | 137 | 12 | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 40 | .. | 57 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 183 |
| Grand Total for 9-4-60 | 7 | 535 | .. | 2 | .. | 215 | .. | 8 | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | 70 | 4 | .. | 11 | 167 | 12 | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | 55 | .. | 83 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 230 |
| " " 2-4-60 | 11 | 634 | .. | 8 | 2 | 211 | 1 | 9 | 11 | 4 | .. | .. | 51 | 1 | .. | 5 | 200 | 9 | .. | .. | 4 | 10 | 69 | .. | 70 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 230 |
| " " 11-4-59 | 12 | 84 | .. | 3 | 4 | 129 | .. | 9 | 19 | 1 | .. | 1 | 598 | 5 | .. | 25 | 187 | 16 | .. | .. | 3 | 12 | 55 | .. | 80 | 14 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 42 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 14

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 9th APRIL 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 5th APRIL 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths. | "Deaths of Infants" under one year of age: 0-6 days | "Deaths of Infants" under one year of age: 7-27 days | "Deaths of Infants" under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 5th April 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 481 | 381 | 262 | 30 | 29 | 261 | 12·7 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 9 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 12 | 17 | 44 | 41 | 12 | 168 | 56 | 42 | 49·0 | 1·30 | 13·4 | 4940 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 174 | 212 | 132 | 16 | 7 | 123 | 13·7 | 3 | 4 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 7 | 23 | 21 | 3 | 90 | 58 | 42 | 49·9 | 0·19 | 17·2 | 1430 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 61 | 73 | 59 | 17 | 8 | 50 | 14·0 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 7 | 8 | 7 | 30 | 58 | 35 | 46·9 | 0·54 | 18·6 | 590 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 73 | 57 | 41 | 6 | 2 | 37 | 10·6 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 26 | 60 | 41 | 49·1 | 0·90 | 18·5 | 746 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 72 | 27 | 46 | 7 | 4 | 43 | 23·1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 29 | 57 | 43 | 50·1 | 2·07 | 20·7 | 612 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 39 | 12 | 26 | 7 | 3 | 22 | 14·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | ... | 1 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 13 | 56 | 42 | 48·9 | 2.66 | 19·5 | 483 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 24 | 11 | 12 | 5 | 7 | 14 | 10·0 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 578 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 22 | 14 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 6·6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 252 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 16 | 7 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 9 | 8·7 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 284 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 11 | 11 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 7·8 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 264 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 36 | 15 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 12 | 12·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 4 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 446 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 22 | 11 | 14 | 2 | .. | 12 | 14·1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 283 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 15 | 11 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 9·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 5 | 58 | 43 | 50.1 | 1·69 | 15·7 | 231 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 15 | 17 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 12 | 15·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | .. | 8 | 58 | 39 | 49·0 | 1·05 | 16·7 | 152 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 13 | 17 | 5 | .. | 5 | 10 | 12·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 484 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 8 | 1 | 5 | 6·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 257 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 10 | 13 | 9 | .. | 2 | 11 | 17·1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 206 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 9th April 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1099 | 902 | 662 | 111 | 91 | 642 | 12·8 | 24 | 14 | 1 | 24 | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | 27 | 43 | 110 | 104 | 29 | 418 | 60† | 35‡ | 49·1‡ | 1·30‡ | 17·5‡ | |
| 2nd April 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1082 | 1162 | 696 | 130 | 54 | 620 | 12·4 | 30 | 14 | 5 | 27 | 4 | 7 | .. | .. | 5 | 5 | 14 | 24 | 117 | 100 | 44 | 378 | 55† | 30† | 42·1‡ | 0·60‡ | 27·9‡ | |
| 11th April 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 992 | 1085 | 704 | 111 | 67 | 660 | 13·2 | 26 | 21 | 4 | 37 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 12 | 6 | 6 | 27 | 43 | 128 | 101 | 24 | 414 | 61† | 32† | 43·0‡ | 0·86‡ | 29·3‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means

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No. 15

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 16th April 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 16th April 1960, the births of 785 living children, and of 29 stillborn children, 132 marriages and 574 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 15.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 2.6 and the death-rate 11.5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 36 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate of the week is 6.3 less than in the previous week, and 4.4 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 15.4 less than in the previous week, and 9.8 below the average. The death-rate is 1.3 less than in the previous week, and 1.2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.3 in Falkirk to 3.7 in Hamilton. In Glasgow the rate was 11.9 and in Edinburgh 13.4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 2. One was due to whooping cough and 1 to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 7, of which 5 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 4 more than in the previous week and respiratory 2 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 53, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 5 more than in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 359, and are 59 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 23, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 12th April 1960, was 18,069. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 46.7° being 2.4° below that for the previous week, but 2.7° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.00 inch, and the mean sunshine 39.2 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 15 — Week ended Saturday, 16th April 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 2 | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dundee B. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 |

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Berwick C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 27 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 16 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Glasgow B. | 2 | 308 | .. | 3 | .. | 81 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 2 | 55 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | 5 | .. | 14 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 78 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 2 | 360 | .. | 3 | .. | 129 | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 3 | 102 | 12 | .. | .. | 4 | 5 | 21 | .. | 32 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 130 |
| Grand Total for 16-4-60 | 3 | 366 | .. | 3 | .. | 180 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 1 | .. | 1 | 35 | 3 | .. | 5 | 127 | 15 | .. | .. | 4 | 6 | 34 | .. | 52 | 9 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 167 |
| " " 9-4-60 | 7 | 535 | .. | 2 | .. | 215 | .. | 8 | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | 70 | 4 | .. | 11 | 167 | 12 | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | 55 | .. | 83 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 230 |
| " " 18-4-59 | 17 | 257 | .. | 7 | 5 | 148 | .. | 9 | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | 1674 | 8 | .. | 26 | 210 | 18 | .. | .. | 3 | 11 | 63 | .. | 99 | 12 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 88 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 15

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 16th APRIL 1960
# RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 12th APRIL 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 12th April 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 287 | 56 | 257 | 35 | 23 | 245 | 11·9 | 15 | 5 | .. | 12 | 1 | 3 | .. | 1 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 11 | 50 | 51 | 10 | 145 | 56 | 35 | 46·5 | 1·22 | 36·7 | 5558 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 136 | 24 | 126 | 13 | 8 | 121 | 13·4 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 9 | 22 | 29 | 2 | 76 | 55 | 35 | 46·9 | 0·36 | 38·8 | 1103 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 61 | 15 | 64 | 17 | 3 | 50 | 14·0 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 9 | 2 | 36 | 57 | 35 | 44·7 | 0·32 | 37·1 | 631 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 57 | 5 | 30 | 2 | 5 | 33 | 9·5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | 9 | 1 | .. | 19 | 55 | 37 | 46·9 | 0·24 | 36·7 | 586 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 20 | 7 | 21 | 5 | 2 | 18 | 9·7 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 13 | 58 | 35 | 47·9 | 1·76 | 45·8 | 507 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 35 | 3 | 21 | 2 | 1 | 20 | 13·3 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 14 | 55 | 36 | 46·5 | 3.18 | 35·5 | 480 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 24 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 5·0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 602 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 24 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 11 | 10·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 313 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 29 | .. | 8 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 7·7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 352 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 21 | 3 | 5 | 1 | .. | 4 | 4·5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 265 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 20 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 10 | 14 | 14·1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 5 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 502 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 7 | 1 | 18 | 10 | 1 | 9 | 10·5 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 321 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 14 | 2 | 10 | 4 | .. | 6 | 6·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 3 | 56 | 32 | 47.1 | 0·84 | 43·0 | 270 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 11 | 1 | 14 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 12·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 10 | 56 | 32 | 47·0 | 0·36 | 40·2 | 169 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 17 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 577 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 13 | 1 | 17 | 6 | .. | 11 | 15·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 251 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 9 | 5 | 2 | .. | 2 | 4 | 6·2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 209 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 16th April 1960 | 2,614,800 | 785 | 132 | 623 | 113 | 64 | 574 | 11·5 | 29 | 16 | 2 | 29 | 5 | 5 | .. | 2 | 7 | 5 | 25 | 28 | 112 | 117 | 23 | 359 | 58† | 32‡ | 46·7‡ | 1·04‡ | 39·2‡ | |
| 9th April 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1099 | 902 | 662 | 111 | 91 | 642 | 12·8 | 24 | 14 | 1 | 24 | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | 27 | 43 | 110 | 104 | 29 | 418 | 60† | 35† | 49·1‡ | 1·30‡ | 17·5‡ | |
| 18th April 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1016 | 268 | 638 | 126 | 71 | 583 | 11·7 | 34 | 23 | 3 | 42 | 5 | 13 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 8 | 18 | 23 | 115 | 110 | 26 | 335 | 66† | 38† | 50·9‡ | 0·36‡ | 32·0‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 16

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 23rd April 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 23rd April 1960, the births of 1,168 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 274 marriages and 654 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 23.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.5 and the death-rate 13.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 19 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 7.7 more than in the previous week, and 4.5 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.9 more than in the previous week, and 0.5 above the average. The death-rate is 1.6 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.6 in Falkirk to 6.2 in Hamilton. In Glasgow and in Edinburgh the rate was 14.0.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 3 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 62, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 34, being 5 more than in the previous week. Of these, 25 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 406, and are 47 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 24, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 19th April 1960, was 16,822. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 49.4° being 2.7° above that for the previous week, and 5.0° above the average for the corresponding week in the period of 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.03 inch, and the mean sunshine 52.7 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 16 — Week ended Saturday, 23rd April 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 15 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 25 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 24 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 30 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | 33 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 12 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 16 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 1 | 272 | .. | 2 | 2 | 165 | 1 | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | 2 | .. | 3 | 123 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 10 | 17 | .. | 20 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 129 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 1 | 284 | .. | 2 | 2 | 202 | 1 | 7 | 4 | 1 | .. | 1 | 8 | 4 | .. | 8 | 168 | 9 | .. | .. | 4 | 12 | 48 | .. | 44 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 157 |
| Grand Total for 23-4-60 | 1 | 295 | .. | 2 | 2 | 255 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 1 | .. | 2 | 46 | 6 | .. | 8 | 202 | 14 | .. | .. | 4 | 12 | 67 | .. | 68 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 202 |
| ,, ,, 16-4-60 | 3 | 366 | .. | 3 | .. | 180 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 1 | .. | 1 | 35 | 3 | .. | 5 | 127 | 15 | .. | .. | 4 | 6 | 34 | .. | 52 | 9 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 167 |
| ,, ,, 25-4-59 | 10 | 94 | .. | 4 | 5 | 152 | .. | 5 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 642 | 6 | .. | 9 | 175 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 53 | .. | 78 | 9 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 64 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 16

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 23rd APRIL 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 19th APRIL 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature °Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature °Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature °Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 19th April 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 545 | 125 | 308 | 36 | 17 | 289 | 14·0 | 9 | 13 | .. | 16 | 1 | 4 | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 26 | 53 | 56 | 7 | 165 | 61 | 32 | 49·2 | 0·08 | 58·9 | 4662 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 188 | 48 | 144 | 24 | 6 | 126 | 14·0 | 7 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 5 | 32 | 20 | 10 | 78 | 61 | 35 | 50·1 | 0·00 | 52·2 | 1285 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 83 | 20 | 52 | 15 | .. | 37 | 10·4 | 4 | 5 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 24 | 59 | 32 | 47·5 | 0·07 | 49·5 | 467 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 79 | 5 | 52 | 6 | 4 | 50 | 14·4 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 8 | 3 | 31 | 63 | 32 | 50·7 | .. | 54·7 | 729 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 58 | 7 | 21 | 6 | 6 | 21 | 11·3 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | ... | 2 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 17 | 64 | 34 | 50·9 | 0·01 | 54·6 | 490 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 37 | 10 | 20 | 3 | .. | 17 | 11·3 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 5 | .. | 12 | 58 | 36 | 49·4 | 0.02 | 46·3 | 550 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 27 | 14 | 8 | 1 | 8 | 15 | 10·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 572 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 19 | 7 | 11 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 9·9 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 242 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 14 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 8·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 454 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 21 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 7·8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 242 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 20 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 9 | 14 | 14·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 383 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 12 | 5 | 18 | 7 | 3 | 14 | 16·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 338 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 11 | 3 | 16 | 7 | 3 | 12 | 13·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 9 | 59 | 35 | 48.4 | 0·08 | 48·1 | 250 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 15 | 5 | 15 | 5 | .. | 10 | 12·7 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 7 | 62 | 30 | 49·2 | .. | 57·3 | 118 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 13 | 5 | 3 | .. | 2 | 5 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 470 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 9 | 5 | 17 | 6 | 1 | 12 | 16·6 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 245 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 17 | .. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 9·3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 200 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 23rd April 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1168 | 274 | 710 | 126 | 70 | 654 | 13·1 | 23 | 25 | 1 | 34 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 23 | 39 | 126 | 119 | 24 | 406 | 64† | 30‡ | 49·4‡ | 0·03‡ | 52·7‡ | |
| 16th April 1960 | 2,614,800 | 785 | 132 | 623 | 113 | 64 | 574 | 11·5 | 29 | 16 | 2 | 29 | 5 | 5 | .. | 2 | 7 | 5 | 25 | 28 | 112 | 117 | 23 | 359 | 58† | 32† | 46·7‡ | 1·04‡ | 39·2‡ | |
| 25th April 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1100 | 157 | 619 | 109 | 83 | 593 | 11·9 | 27 | 24 | 2 | 35 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 30 | 21 | 121 | 97 | 35 | 377 | 65† | 30† | 48·9‡ | 0·77‡ | 27·5‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisonally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 17

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 30th April 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 30th April 1960, the births of 1150 living children, and of 19 stillborn children, 243 marriages and 636 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 23.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.9 and the death-rate 12.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 16 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.4 less than in the previous week, but 1.3 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.6 less than in the previous week, but 0.4 above the average. The death-rate is 0.4 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.5 in Airdrie to 7.6 in Perth. In Glasgow and in Edinburgh the rate was 14.3.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 10, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 6 more than in the previous week and respiratory 7 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 57, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.2 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 39, being 5 more than in the previous week. Of these, 26 were aged 0-6 days and 5 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 376, and are 30 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 36, and are 12 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 26th April 1960, was 19,070. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 50.3° being 0.9° above that for the previous week, and 4.4° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.13 inch, and the mean sunshine 28.2 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the [illegible] Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 17 — Week ended Saturday, 30th April 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia, not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis—Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **TOTAL** | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **TOTAL** | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | 2 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | 2 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 |

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 35 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 20 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 40 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 21 | .. | .. | 2 | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 13 | .. | 14 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 27 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 45 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 24 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Glasgow B. | 8 | 220 | .. | 1 | 1 | 124 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | 8 | 118 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 3 | .. | 18 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 100 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 31 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 47 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Total | 12 | 300 | .. | 1 | 1 | 192 | .. | 3 | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | 5 | .. | 8 | 177 | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | 20 | .. | 47 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 136 |
| Grand Total for 30-4-60 | 12 | 314 | .. | 1 | 1 | 262 | .. | 4 | 8 | 1 | .. | 1 | 38 | 7 | .. | 10 | 199 | 15 | .. | .. | 2 | 9 | 45 | .. | 68 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 185 |
| ,, ,, 23-4-60 | 1 | 295 | .. | 2 | 2 | 255 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 1 | .. | 2 | 46 | 6 | .. | 8 | 202 | 14 | .. | .. | 4 | 12 | 67 | .. | 68 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 202 |
| ,, ,, 2-5-59 | 10 | 147 | .. | 5 | 2 | 208 | .. | 10 | 14 | .. | .. | .. | 636 | 3 | .. | 5 | 158 | 12 | .. | 1 | 2 | 6 | 64 | .. | 97 | 17 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 68 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 17

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDED 30th APRIL 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 26th APRIL 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births* | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred In | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 6 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants under one year of age: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic§ Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All Forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature °Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature °Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature °Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 26th April 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 481 | 100 | 288 | 29 | 35 | 294 | 14·3 | 11 | 13 | 2 | 21 | 3 | 3 | .. | 1 | 7 | 7 | 12 | 15 | 57 | 51 | 16 | 164 | 63 | 39 | 51·4 | 0·07 | 28·8 | 5902 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 167 | 45 | 149 | 31 | 11 | 129 | 14·3 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 30 | 28 | 7 | 74 | 63 | 39 | 49·1 | 0·20 | 27·0 | 1342 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 83 | 21 | 56 | 24 | 4 | 36 | 10·1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 10 | 5 | 3 | 19 | 55 | 33 | 47·1 | 0·10 | 28·9 | 698 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 99 | 15 | 39 | 6 | 7 | 40 | 11·5 | 3 | 4 | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 6 | 3 | 33 | 61 | 37 | 50·3 | 0·36 | 20·2 | 764 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 21 | 11 | 22 | 8 | 3 | 17 | 9·1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | ... | .. | 2 | 5 | 4 | 10 | 64 | 41 | 52·5 | 0·13 | 32·2 | 535 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 33 | 7 | 17 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 10·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 10 | 61 | 42 | 51·2 | 0.01 | 27·6 | 599 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 34 | 5 | 8 | .. | 3 | 11 | 7·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | .. | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 700 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 25 | 7 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 298 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 40 | 4 | 12 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 10·6 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 436 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 20 | 1 | 14 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 222 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 34 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 11 | 11·1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 461 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 17 | 4 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 10·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 263 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 22 | 4 | 15 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 12·5 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 6 | 62 | 37 | 50·2 | .. | 34·9 | 235 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 10 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 7·6 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 62 | 37 | 50·3 | 0·19 | 25·6 | 192 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 31 | 6 | 5 | .. | 4 | 9 | 11·2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 584 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 15 | 5 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 9·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 231 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 18 | 1 | 8 | .. | 2 | 10 | 15·5 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 226 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 30th April 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1150 | 243 | 677 | 131 | 90 | 636 | 12·7 | 19 | 26 | 5 | 39 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 10 | 26 | 31 | 126 | 113 | 36 | 376 | 64† | 33‡ | 50·3‡ | 0·13‡ | 28·2‡ | |
| 23rd April 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1168 | 274 | 710 | 126 | 70 | 654 | 13·1 | 23 | 25 | 1 | 34 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 23 | 39 | 126 | 119 | 24 | 406 | 64† | 30† | 49·4‡ | 0·03‡ | 52·7‡ | |
| 2nd May 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1034 | 223 | 598 | 133 | 63 | 528 | 10·6 | 17 | 12 | 2 | 21 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 20 | 25 | 102 | 85 | 30 | 325 | 59† | 33† | 46·3‡ | 0·76‡ | 32·7‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 7th May 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 7th May 1960, the births of 1,083 living children, and of 19 stillborn children, 249 marriages and 574 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.0 and the death-rate 11.5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 17 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.3 less than in the previous week, but 0.4 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but the same as the average. The death-rate is 1.2 less than in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.2 in Ayr to 5.5 in Falkirk. In Glasgow the rate was 12.3 and in Edinburgh 12.6.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. They were due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—4 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 47, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 21, being 18 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0-6 days and none was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 369, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 35, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 3rd May 1960, was 18,098. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 52.6° being 2.3° above that for the previous week, and 6.3° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.11 inch, and the mean sunshine 28.4 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 18 — Week ended Saturday, 7th May 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 110 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dundee B. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 126 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Berwick C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 | .. | .. | 20 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 32 | .. | .. | 21 | .. | .. | .. | 28 | .. | .. | 5 | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 7 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 41 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 |
| Glasgow B. | 5 | 501 | .. | 3 | .. | 126 | .. | 3 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 21 | .. | .. | 8 | 98 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 1 | 11 | .. | 17 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 161 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 20 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Total | 6 | 550 | .. | 3 | .. | 157 | .. | 7 | 5 | 1 | .. | 1 | 22 | 3 | .. | 8 | 149 | 8 | .. | 1 | 4 | 3 | 40 | .. | 32 | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 224 |
| Grand Total for 7-5-60 | 8 | 558 | .. | 3 | .. | 323 | .. | 11 | 27 | 3 | .. | 1 | 52 | 4 | .. | 19 | 171 | 12 | .. | 1 | 4 | 4 | 57 | .. | 49 | 7 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 282 |
| .. 30-4-60 | 12 | 314 | .. | 1 | 1 | 262 | .. | 4 | 8 | 1 | .. | 1 | 38 | 7 | .. | 10 | 199 | 15 | .. | .. | 2 | 9 | 45 | .. | 68 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 185 |
| .. 9 5-59 | 6 | 87 | .. | 3 | 2 | 234 | | 5 | 8 | 2 | .. | .. | 491 | 4 | .. | 5 | 143 | 11 | .. | 2 | 2 | 13 | 72 | .. | 84 | 16 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 93 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 18

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 7th MAY 1960
## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 3rd MAY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 3rd May 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 474 | 112 | 285 | 46 | 15 | 254 | 12·3 | 8 | 10 | .. | 14 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 4 | 15 | 11 | 52 | 37 | 15 | 147 | 66 | 34 | 51·9 | 0·16 | 24·4 | 5683 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 185 | 53 | 125 | 20 | 8 | 113 | 12·6 | 4 | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 16 | 20 | 9 | 71 | 64 | 36 | 52·0 | 0·00 | 27·9 | 1240 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 67 | 12 | 42 | 15 | 2 | 29 | 8·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | 8 | 2 | 23 | 68 | 33 | 51·0 | 0·05 | 30·5 | 545 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 77 | 16 | 34 | 5 | 3 | 32 | 9·2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 10 | 6 | 3 | 25 | 69 | 35 | 53·9 | 0·05 | 30·1 | 664 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 60 | 9 | 23 | 6 | 3 | 20 | 10·8 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 5 | 2 | 12 | 65 | 36 | 53·3 | 0·24 | 27·7 | 489 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 32 | 7 | 27 | 9 | 3 | 21 | 14·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 15 | 63 | 38 | 53·0 | 0·24 | 26·9 | 477 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 24 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 9 | 18 | 12·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 4 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 704 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 18 | 7 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 11·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 283 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 18 | 4 | 14 | 6 | .. | 8 | 7·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 389 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 18 | 6 | 9 | 2 | 6 | 13 | 14·5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 4 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 258 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 12 | .. | 6 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 7·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 433 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 12 | .. | 15 | 5 | 3 | 13 | 15·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 327 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 16 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 10·2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 6 | 65 | 37 | 52·7 | 0·10 | 29·8 | 271 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 18 | 6 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 65 | 31 | 53·2 | 0·03 | 30·3 | 142 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 18 | 6 | 5 | .. | 5 | 10 | 12·5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 652 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 21 | 1 | 11 | 7 | .. | 4 | 5·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 224 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 13 | 3 | 1 | .. | 3 | 4 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 235 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7th May 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1083 | 249 | 633 | 131 | 72 | 574 | 11·5 | 19 | 16 | .. | 21 | 4 | 4 | .. | 2 | 6 | 6 | 24 | 23 | 116 | 92 | 35 | 369 | 69† | 31‡ | 52·6‡ | 0·11‡ | 28·4‡ | |
| 30th April 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1150 | 243 | 677 | 131 | 90 | 636 | 12·7 | 19 | 26 | 5 | 39 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 10 | 26 | 31 | 126 | 113 | 36 | 376 | 64† | 33† | 50·3‡ | 0·13‡ | 28·2‡ | |
| 9th May 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1059 | 125 | 614 | 115 | 70 | 569 | 11·4 | 16 | 17 | 3 | 29 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 20 | 19 | 111 | 109 | 26 | 351 | 71† | 31† | 48·2‡ | 0·20‡ | 59·0‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 19

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 14th May 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 14th May 1960, the births of 1,048 living children, and of 30 stillborn children, 177 marriages and 600 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 3.5 and the death-rate 12.0. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 28 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.7 less than in the previous week, but 0.4 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.5 less than in the previous week, but 0.6 above the average. The death-rate is 0.5 more than in the previous week, and 0.5 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.0 in Falkirk to 4.7 in Ayr. In Glasgow the rate was 12.7 and in Edinburgh 11.6.

There were 7 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. One was due to whooping cough and 6 to influenza. There was 1 death due to dysentery.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—2 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 38, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 8 more than in the previous week. Of these, 18 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days.

Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 384, and are 15 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 20, and are 15 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 10th May 1960, was 18,066. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 53.9° being 1.3° above that for the previous week, and 6.3° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.51 inches, and the mean sunshine 32.7 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 19 — Week ended Saturday, 14th May 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 17 | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| TOTAL | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 31 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 35 | 2 | .. | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 13 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 37 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 41 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 7 | 300 | .. | 6 | 1 | 126 | .. | 3 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | 7 | 112 | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | 3 | 8 | .. | 30 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 135 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 23 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 7 | 327 | .. | 6 | 1 | 173 | .. | 4 | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | 8 | 153 | 6 | .. | 1 | 7 | 6 | 33 | .. | 60 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 212 |
| Grand Total for 14-5-60 | 9 | 337 | .. | 6 | 1 | 227 | .. | 6 | 15 | 3 | .. | .. | 42 | 3 | .. | 10 | 168 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 55 | .. | 79 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 266 |
| .. ,, 7-5-60 | 8 | 558 | .. | 3 | .. | 323 | .. | 11 | 27 | 3 | .. | 1 | 52 | 4 | .. | 19 | 171 | 12 | .. | 1 | 4 | 4 | 57 | .. | 49 | 7 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 282 |
| .. .. 16 5-59 | 11 | 151 | .. | 2 | .. | 322 | 1 | 7 | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | 445 | 12 | .. | 7 | 177 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 86 | .. | 88 | 14 | 6 | .. | 5 | .. | 84 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 19

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 14th MAY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 10th MAY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 10th May 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 460 | 70 | 275 | 32 | 19 | 262 | 12·7 | 12 | 10 | .. | 14 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | 9 | 11 | 53 | 41 | 10 | 166 | 64 | 43 | 54·5 | 2·12 | 29·8 | 5592 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 173 | 30 | 122 | 22 | 4 | 104 | 11·6 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 17 | 19 | 4 | 76 | 68 | 45 | 51·1 | 0·94 | 26·6 | 1391 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 69 | 19 | 52 | 12 | 3 | 43 | 12·0 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 6 | 12 | .. | 30 | 59 | 39 | 50·3 | 0·48 | 51·9 | 569 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 72 | 18 | 36 | 7 | 3 | 32 | 9·2 | 5 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 5 | 7 | .. | 19 | 63 | 41 | 51·7 | 1·83 | 34·1 | 685 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 50 | 4 | 34 | 11 | 5 | 28 | 15·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 17 | 68 | 46 | 55·6 | 1·50 | 29·9 | 514 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 22 | 5 | 28 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 14·0 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | .. | 9 | 67 | 45 | 54·9 | 1·79 | 25·1 | 521 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 29 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 13 | 19 | 13·6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 668 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 13 | 2 | 12 | 5 | 5 | 12 | 11·9 | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 271 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 33 | .. | 7 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 9·6 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 396 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 17 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 233 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 22 | 8 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 11·1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 378 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 16 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 4·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 322 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 21 | 2 | 10 | 4 | 3 | 9 | 10·2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 71 | 45 | 57·6 | 0·75 | 31·1 | 250 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 15 | 2 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 10·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 7 | 66 | 41 | 52·6 | 2.68 | 33·0 | 132 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 15 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 9 | 11·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 584 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 11 | 3 | 21 | 9 | 1 | 13 | 18·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 238 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 10 | 1 | 2 | .. | 5 | 7 | 10·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 236 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 14th May 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1048 | 177 | 645 | 127 | 82 | 600 | 12·0 | 30 | 18 | 2 | 29 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 18 | 20 | 110 | 110 | 20 | 384 | 71† | 39‡ | 53·9‡ | 1·51‡ | 32·7‡ | |
| 7th May 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1083 | 249 | 633 | 131 | 72 | 574 | 11·5 | 19 | 16 | .. | 21 | 4 | 4 | .. | 2 | 6 | 6 | 24 | 23 | 116 | 92 | 35 | 369 | 69† | 31† | 52·6‡ | 0·11‡ | 28·4‡ | |
| 16th May 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1096 | 132 | 607 | 102 | 53 | 558 | 11·2 | 19 | 11 | 5 | 26 | 4 | 2 | 3 | .. | 4 | 4 | 16 | 22 | 122 | 94 | 34 | 340 | 77† | 42† | 56·7‡ | 0·39‡ | 38·5‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

Wt. 7000/65. Kt. 49999.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 21st May 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 21st May 1960, the births of 1,023 living children, and of 29 stillborn children, 171 marriages and 587 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 3.4 and the death-rate 11.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 28 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 less than in the previous week, but 0.3 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.5 above the average. The death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, but 0.4 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.6 in Falkirk to 7.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 11.7 and in Edinburgh 13.4.

There were 6 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. One was due to meningococcal septicaemia and 5 to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 8, of which 6 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 4 more than in the previous week and respiratory 2 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 53, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 17, being 12 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0-6 days and none was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 381, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 18, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 17th May 1960, was 17,359. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 54.2° being 0.3° above that for the previous week, and 4.2° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.05 inch, and the mean sunshine 55.7 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 20 — Week ended Saturday, 21st May 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |

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| Berwick C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 20 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 32 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 13 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 33 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Ayr B. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Glasgow B. | 5 | 162 | .. | 1 | 3 | 110 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 3 | 85 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 10 | .. | 24 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 104 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 27 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 5 | 205 | .. | 1 | 3 | 157 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | 5 | 133 | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | 35 | .. | 51 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 179 |
| Grand Total for 21-5-60 | 5 | 210 | .. | 1 | 3 | 200 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | 39 | 2 | .. | 5 | 150 | 8 | .. | .. | 2 | 6 | 53 | .. | 73 | 4 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 225 |
| .. .. 14-5-60 | 9 | 337 | .. | 6 | 1 | 227 | .. | 6 | 15 | 3 | .. | .. | 42 | 3 | .. | 10 | 168 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 55 | .. | 79 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 266 |
| .. .. 23-5-59 | 11 | 151 | .. | 2 | .. | 322 | 1 | 7 | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | 445 | 12 | .. | 7 | 177 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 86 | .. | 88 | 14 | 6 | .. | 5 | .. | 84 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 20

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 21st MAY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 17th MAY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 17th May 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 462 | 71 | 248 | 31 | 24 | 241 | 11·7 | 14 | 7 | .. | 9 | 2 | 3 | .. | 4 | 7 | 5 | 14 | 12 | 40 | 38 | 7 | 153 | 71 | 44 | 55·1 | 0·03 | 55·1 | 5122 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 186 | 37 | 135 | 21 | 7 | 121 | 13·4 | 4 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 19 | 30 | 4 | 87 | 64 | 43 | 51·6 | 0·24 | 39·3 | 1250 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 63 | 16 | 52 | 22 | 2 | 32 | 9·0 | 4 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 20 | 66 | 40 | 50·9 | .. | 41·0 | 594 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 55 | 7 | 29 | 5 | 5 | 29 | 8·3 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 18 | 66 | 40 | 54·4 | 0·00 | 62·6 | 605 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 39 | 3 | 28 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 11·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 2 | .. | 9 | 73 | 44 | 56·4 | 0·03 | 60·8 | 512 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 28 | 8 | 29 | 9 | .. | 20 | 13·3 | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 3 | .. | 13 | 70 | 45 | 55·7 | .. | 60·8 | 522 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 22 | 2 | 17 | 7 | 7 | 17 | 12·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 4 | 4 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 659 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 21 | 2 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 7·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 272 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 14 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 7 | 12 | 11·6 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 380 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 15 | 4 | 15 | 5 | 1 | 11 | 12·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 259 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 24 | 1 | 13 | 4 | 3 | 12 | 12·1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 361 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 19 | 4 | 14 | 3 | 3 | 14 | 16·4 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 311 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 19 | 3 | 15 | 5 | 4 | 14 | 15·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | 8 | 71 | 43 | 55·2 | .. | 62·8 | 195 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 18 | 4 | 12 | 4 | 2 | 10 | 12·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 68 | 41 | 53·9 | 0·07 | 62·9 | 116 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 15 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 627 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 17 | 2 | 16 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 16·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 248 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 7·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 216 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 21st May 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1023 | 171 | 654 | 140 | 73 | 587 | 11·7 | 29 | 14 | .. | 17 | 2 | 6 | .. | 6 | 8 | 6 | 21 | 32 | 92 | 108 | 18 | 381 | 73† | 40‡ | 54·2‡ | 0·05‡ | 55·7‡ | |
| 14th May 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1048 | 177 | 645 | 127 | 82 | 600 | 12·0 | 30 | 18 | 2 | 29 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 18 | 20 | 110 | 110 | 20 | 384 | 71† | 39† | 53·9‡ | 1·51‡ | 32·7‡ | |
| 23rd May 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1050 | 169 | 533 | 112 | 65 | 486 | 9·7 | 16 | 16 | 3 | 24 | 5 | 5 | .. | 1 | 6 | 6 | 13 | 14 | 100 | 84 | 25 | 292 | 74† | 34† | 51·6‡ | 0·11‡ | 41·4‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
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# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 28th May 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 28th May 1960, the births of 1,055 living children, and of 18 stillborn children, 176 marriages and 577 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21·1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 3·5 and the death-rate 11·5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 17 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week, and 1·1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16·6 in Falkirk to 3·3 in Greenock. In Glasgow the rate was 12·8 and in Edinburgh 12·1.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week but respiratory the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 44, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 30, being 13 more than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 365, and are 16 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 24th May 1960, was 15,224. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 54·8° being 0·6° above that for the previous week, and 3·0° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0·55 inch, and the mean sunshine 44·2 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 21 — Week ended Saturday, 28th May 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| TOTAL | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 |

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| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 39 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 43 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Clydebank B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 12 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Coatbridge B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 6 | 223 | .. | 4 | 1 | 113 | 1 | 4 | 33 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | 2 | .. | 6 | 118 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | 8 | 16 | .. | 18 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 113 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 8 | 249 | .. | 4 | 1 | 154 | 1 | 4 | 35 | 2 | .. | .. | 11 | 3 | .. | 8 | 152 | 5 | .. | .. | 10 | 8 | 36 | .. | 46 | 7 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 165 |
| Grand Total for 28-5-60 | 8 | 254 | .. | 4 | 1 | 191 | 1 | 6 | 43 | 2 | .. | .. | 33 | 5 | .. | 9 | 168 | 8 | .. | .. | 10 | 8 | 56 | .. | 76 | 14 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 223 |
| .. 21-5-60 | 5 | 210 | .. | 1 | 3 | 200 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | 39 | 2 | .. | 5 | 150 | 8 | .. | .. | 2 | 6 | 53 | .. | 73 | 4 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 225 |
| „ „ 30 5-59 | 15 | 195 | .. | 5 | .. | 268 | .. | 5 | 14 | 1 | .. | .. | 473 | 3 | .. | 2 | 129 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 66 | .. | 88 | 17 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 65 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 21

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 28th MAY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 24th MAY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 24th May 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow . | 1,075,800 | 442 | 74 | 279 | 36 | 21 | 264 | 12·8 | 10 | 5 | 1 | 12 | .. | 4 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 14 | 56 | 37 | 8 | 166 | 67 | 40 | 54·3 | 0·76 | 40·5 | 4059 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 165 | 33 | 125 | 20 | 4 | 109 | 12·1 | 1 | 4 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 23 | 22 | 3 | 68 | 70 | 42 | 55·7 | 0·19 | 42·2 | 1064 |
| 3. Aberdeen . | 186,900 | 71 | 13 | 54 | 14 | 1 | 41 | 11·5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 9 | 11 | 6 | 24 | 71 | 36 | 53·4 | 0·46 | 63·2 | 497 |
| 4. Dundee . | 181,800 | 63 | 11 | 43 | 7 | 4 | 40 | 11.5 | 1 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 7 | 11 | 4 | 28 | 70 | 40 | 56·1 | 0·21 | 41·6 | 648 |
| 5. Paisley . . | 97,200 | 31 | 9 | 25 | 7 | 3 | 21 | 11·3 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 13 | 67 | 40 | 55·5 | 0·82 | 42·4 | 489 |
| 6. Greenock . | 78,400 | 24 | 3 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 3·3 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | 67 | 42 | 54·5 | 0.86 | 41·7 | 454 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 34 | 1 | 13 | 4 | 10 | 19 | 13·6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 6 | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 608 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy . | 52,700 | 11 | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | 4 | 4·0 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 222 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 50 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 7·7 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 351 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 16 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 7·8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 303 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 20 | 3 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 10 | 10·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 300 |
| 12. Ayr . . . | 44,600 | 24 | 7 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 9·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 277 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 24 | 3 | 12 | 5 | .. | 7 | 8·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 4 | 68 | 39 | 54·1 | 0·71 | 37·2 | 260 |
| 14. Perth . . | 41,100 | 12 | 4 | 10 | 4 | .. | 6 | 7·6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 4 | 67 | 36 | 54·4 | 0.37 | 44·4 | 127 |
| 15. Hamilton . | 41,900 | 26 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 13·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 518 |
| 16. Falkirk . | 37,700 | 17 | 3 | 14 | 4 | 2 | 12 | 16·6 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 202 |
| 17. Airdrie . | 33,700 | 25 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 7·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 196 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 28th May 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 1055 | 176 | 626 | 116 | 67 | 577 | 11·5 | 18 | 14 | 3 | 30 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 15 | 29 | 117 | 103 | 26 | 365 | 71† | 36‡ | 54·8‡ | 0·55‡ | 44·2‡ | |
| 21st May 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1023 | 171 | 654 | 140 | 73 | 587 | 11·7 | 29 | 14 | .. | 17 | 2 | 6 | .. | 6 | 8 | 6 | 21 | 32 | 92 | 108 | 18 | 381 | 73† | 40† | 54·2‡ | 0·05‡ | 55·7‡ | |
| 30th May 1959 . | 2,608,800‖ | 974 | 173 | 626 | 119 | 83 | 590 | 11·8 | 22 | 16 | 2 | 31 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 21 | 21 | 128 | 99 | 20 | 368 | 77† | 42† | 56·7‡ | 0·01‡ | 52·1‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 4th June 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs, which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 4th June 1960, the births of 1,051 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 269 marriages and 564 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.4 and the death-rate 11.3. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.8 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.9 more than in the previous week, and 0.9 above the average. The death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.2 in Hamilton to 5.5 in Falkirk. In Glasgow the rate was 12.0 and in Edinburgh 10.2.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 36, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 28, being 2 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 20 were aged 0-6 days and 5 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 347, and are 18 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 24, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 31st May 1960, was 16,379. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 59.3° being 4.5° above that for the previous week, and 5.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.15 inch, and the mean sunshine 56.3 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 22 — Week ended Saturday, 4th June 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kincardine C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dundee B. | 2 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 26 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 2 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Edinburgh B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 19 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 3 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 30 | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | 1 | 25 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | 8 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 42 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 11 | 226 | .. | 2 | 1 | 106 | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 64 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 3 | 12 | .. | 28 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 125 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 11 | 245 | .. | 2 | 1 | 135 | .. | 1 | 12 | 1 | .. | .. | 9 | 1 | .. | 1 | 93 | 11 | .. | .. | 4 | 8 | 25 | .. | 55 | 6 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 185 |
| Grand Total for 4-6-60 | 17 | 255 | .. | 2 | 1 | 175 | .. | 2 | 23 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 38 | 1 | .. | 2 | 120 | 13 | .. | .. | 4 | 9 | 49 | .. | 75 | 14 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 256 |
| .. .. 28-5-60 | 8 | 254 | .. | 4 | 1 | 191 | 1 | 6 | 43 | 2 | .. | .. | 33 | 5 | .. | 9 | 168 | 8 | .. | .. | 10 | 3 | 56 | .. | 76 | 14 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 223 |
| .. .. 6-59 | 7 | 240 | .. | 5 | 2 | 229 | .. | 7 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 309 | 10 | .. | 7 | 104 | 15 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 51 | .. | 97 | 22 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 67 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 22

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 4th JUNE 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 31st MAY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 31st May 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 488 | 95 | 262 | 33 | 17 | 246 | 12·0 | 10 | 14 | 2 | 17 | 1 | 3 | .. | 1 | 4 | 4 | 7 | 11 | 65 | 40 | 10 | 143 | 79 | 42 | 59·9 | 0·42 | 47·6 | 4579 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 174 | 47 | 107 | 24 | 9 | 92 | 10·2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 22 | 14 | 3 | 57 | 78 | 43 | 59·3 | 0·05 | 47·0 | 1198 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 68 | 33 | 56 | 16 | 1 | 41 | 11·5 | 3 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 7 | 10 | 2 | 23 | 71 | 35 | 55·7 | 0·00 | 70·0 | 627 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 73 | 26 | 49 | 8 | 4 | 45 | 12·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 11 | 11 | 1 | 27 | 72 | 43 | 59·6 | 0·01 | .. | 762 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 33 | 13 | 18 | 5 | 4 | 17 | 9·1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 13 | 80 | 43 | 61·2 | 0·09 | 58·9 | 484 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 34 | 16 | 17 | 4 | 1 | 14 | 9·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 11 | 78 | 44 | 60·0 | 0·31 | .. | 505 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 21 | 7 | 15 | 3 | 5 | 17 | 12·2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 5 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 636 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 14 | 1 | 11 | 3 | .. | 8 | 7·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 286 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 18 | 5 | 12 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 8·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 2 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 333 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 25 | 6 | 19 | 6 | 1 | 14 | 15·6 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 284 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 21 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 6.0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 303 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 14 | 6 | 17 | 4 | .. | 13 | 15·2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | 2 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 327 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 21 | 3 | 15 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 12·5 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | 7 | 79 | 40 | 59·0 | 0 28 | 59·4 | 220 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 16 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 11·4 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 77 | 42 | 59·4 | 0.03 | 55·1 | 135 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 19 | 4 | 8 | .. | 5 | 13 | 16·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 573 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 12 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 5·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 220 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 9 | 2 | 3 | .. | 2 | 5 | 7·8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 180 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 4th June 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1051 | 269 | 628 | 125 | 61 | 564 | 11·3 | 23 | 20 | 5 | 28 | 2 | 6 | .. | 1 | 6 | 6 | 16 | 20 | 136 | 100 | 24 | 347 | 80† | 40‡ | 59·3‡ | 0·15‡ | 56·3‡ | |
| 28th May 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1055 | 176 | 626 | 116 | 67 | 577 | 11·5 | 18 | 14 | 3 | 30 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 15 | 29 | 117 | 103 | 26 | 365 | 71† | 36† | 54·8‡ | 0·55‡ | 44·2‡ | |
| 6th June 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 974 | 319 | 531 | 100 | 60 | 491 | 9·8 | 21 | 13 | 3 | 24 | 3 | 6 | .. | .. | 7 | 6 | 12 | 16 | 106 | 84 | 20 | 292 | 70† | 43† | 55·5‡ | 0·93‡ | 35·9‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

Wt. 70003/65. Kt. 49666.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 11th June 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 11th June 1960, the births of 1,070 living children, and of 29 stillborn children, 509 marriages and 505 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 10.2 and the death-rate 10.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 26 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.4 more than in the previous week, and 2.1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 4.8 more than in the previous week, and 1.1 above the average. The death-rate is 1.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.1 in Ayr to 2.3 in Kilmarnock. In Glasgow the rate was 10.6 and in Edinburgh 10.0.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 5, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—1 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 25, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 36, being 8 more than in the previous week. Of these, 21 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 312, and are 35 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 19, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 7th June 1960, was 15,505. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 57.5° being 1.8° below that for the previous week, but 3.2° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.35 inches, and the mean sunshine 40.3 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 23 — Week ended Saturday, 11th June 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **Northern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 75 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 75 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **North-Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 10 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |

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| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 31 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 38 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 30 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 48 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 15 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 53 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 23 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 7 | 179 | .. | 3 | 1 | 104 | .. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | 3 | 84 | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 11 | .. | 22 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 107 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 29 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 9 | 233 | .. | 3 | 1 | 142 | .. | 3 | 21 | 3 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | 3 | 122 | 11 | .. | 1 | 5 | 6 | 27 | .. | 40 | 9 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 150 |
| Grand Total for 11-6-60 | 11 | 246 | .. | 3 | 1 | 191 | .. | 6 | 99 | 3 | .. | .. | 57 | .. | .. | 3 | 141 | 13 | .. | 1 | 5 | 6 | 36 | .. | 70 | 21 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 217 |
| .. .. 4-6-60 | 17 | 255 | .. | 2 | 1 | 175 | .. | 2 | 23 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 38 | 1 | .. | 2 | 120 | 13 | .. | .. | 4 | 9 | 49 | .. | 75 | 14 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 256 |
| ,, ,, 13 6-59 | 10 | 202 | .. | 2 | 1 | 297 | .. | 9 | 17 | 4 | .. | 1 | 321 | 13 | .. | 1 | 122 | 13 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 90 | .. | 73 | 21 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 97 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 23

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 11th JUNE 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 7th JUNE 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 7th June 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 466 | 217 | 233 | 27 | 12 | 218 | 10·6 | 10 | 15 | .. | 23 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 31 | 36 | 8 | 123 | 76 | 48 | 57·2 | 1·80 | 43·8 | 4271 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 160 | 96 | 95 | 12 | 7 | 90 | 10·0 | 4 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 28 | 19 | 4 | 55 | 78 | 48 | 57·9 | 0·44 | 35·2 | 1121 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 67 | 35 | 55 | 17 | 2 | 40 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | 15 | 1 | 25 | 70 | 47 | 55·4 | 0·84 | 34.5 | 529 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 87 | 39 | 33 | 4 | 6 | 35 | 10.1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 24 | 73 | 48 | 58·9 | 1·46 | .. | 558 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 38 | 17 | 27 | 5 | 3 | 25 | 13·5 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | 4 | .. | 18 | 81 | 49 | 58·3 | 1·55 | 43·9 | 420 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 32 | 15 | 20 | 6 | 1 | 15 | 10·0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 10 | 76 | 48 | 57·1 | 2·50 | 36·5 | 463 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 33 | 12 | 11 | 3 | 8 | 16 | 11·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 564 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 13 | 8 | 9 | 2 | .. | 7 | 7·0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 253 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 33 | 11 | 9 | 6 | 4 | 7 | 6·7 | 3 | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 303 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 18 | 10 | 13 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 10·0 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 261 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 29 | 9 | 5 | .. | 2 | 7 | 7.0 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 317 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 12 | 8 | 10 | 4 | 6 | 12 | 14·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 312 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 15 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 2·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 80 | 43 | 57·9 | 1.14 | 46·6 | 209 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 6·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | 69 | 47 | 57·1 | 1.04 | 41·9 | 106 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 23 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 6·2 | 3 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 596 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 16 | 8 | 7 | 4 | .. | 3 | 4·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 197 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 20 | 8 | 9 | .. | .. | 9 | 14·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 211 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 11th June 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1070 | 509 | 554 | 105 | 56 | 505 | 10·1 | 29 | 21 | 1 | 36 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 12 | 13 | 98 | 97 | 19 | 312 | 81† | 43‡ | 57·5‡ | 1·35‡ | 40·3‡ | |
| 4th June 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1051 | 269 | 628 | 125 | 61 | 564 | 11·3 | 23 | 20 | 5 | 28 | 2 | 6 | .. | 1 | 6 | 6 | 16 | 20 | 136 | 100 | 24 | 347 | 80† | 40† | 59·3‡ | 0·15‡ | 56·3‡ | |
| 13th June 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1075 | 501 | 573 | 98 | 61 | 536 | 10·7 | 25 | 19 | 4 | 32 | 2 | 7 | 3 | .. | 2 | 2 | 18 | 15 | 120 | 94 | 20 | 313 | 75† | 40† | 55·7‡ | 0·57‡ | 46·4‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 18th June 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 18th June 1960, the births of 1,008 living children, and of 29 stillborn children, 382 marriages and 513 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 7.6 and the death-rate 10.3. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 28 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.2 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.6 less than in the previous week, and 1.8 below the average. The death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, but 0.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.6 in Motherwell & Wishaw to 4.0 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 10.0 and in Edinburgh 10.4.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to meningococcal meningitis.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 1 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 24, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 7 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 22 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 312, and are the same as in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 33, and are 14 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 14th June 1960, was 15,856. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 57.5° being the same as that for the previous week, but 2.9° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.68 inch, and the mean sunshine 32.4 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

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Week ended Saturday, 18th June 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dundee B. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 17 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |

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| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 30 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 50 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 36 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 23 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 60 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Glasgow B. | 7 | 102 | .. | 3 | 1 | 75 | .. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | 70 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | 10 | .. | 16 | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 100 | |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 9 | 133 | .. | 3 | 1 | 94 | .. | 6 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 3 | .. | 2 | 102 | 7 | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 22 | .. | 33 | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 166 | |
| Grand Total for 18-6-60 | 9 | 140 | .. | 3 | 1 | 129 | 1 | 6 | 14 | 1 | .. | .. | 53 | 6 | .. | 2 | 115 | 9 | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 44 | .. | 82 | 9 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 235 | |
| ,, ,, 11-6-60 | 11 | 246 | .. | 3 | 1 | 191 | .. | 6 | 99 | 3 | .. | .. | 57 | .. | .. | 3 | 141 | 13 | .. | 1 | 5 | 6 | 36 | .. | 70 | 21 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 217 | |
| ,, ,, 20 6-59 | 9 | 172 | .. | 4 | 2 | 282 | .. | 7 | 27 | 1 | .. | 1 | 242 | 4 | .. | 3 | 112 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 60 | .. | 67 | 14 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 86 | |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 24

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 18th JUNE 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 14th JUNE 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 14th June 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 393 | 150 | 207 | 17 | 16 | 206 | 10·0 | 14 | 9 | 1 | 13 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 51 | 33 | 14 | 119 | 71 | 46 | 56·9 | 0·41 | 21·5 | 4228 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 188 | 71 | 99 | 13 | 8 | 94 | 10·4 | 4 | 4 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 19 | 21 | 3 | 69 | 73 | 48 | 58·3 | 0·43 | 33·6 | 1133 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 80 | 27 | 64 | 23 | 1 | 42 | 11·8 | 3 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | 5 | 4 | 24 | 75 | 43 | 56·1 | 0·63 | 34·8 | 576 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 81 | 29 | 37 | 3 | .. | 34 | 9·8 | 1 | 3 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 6 | 1 | 20 | 73 | 48 | 58·2 | 1·28 | .. | 653 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 32 | 18 | 15 | 5 | 1 | 11 | 5·9 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 71 | 46 | 58·7 | 0·83 | 35·0 | 465 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 35 | 15 | 22 | 4 | 2 | 20 | 13·3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 67 | 46 | 57·0 | 0·65 | 28·0 | 494 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 19 | 11 | 16 | 2 | 12 | 26 | 18·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 541 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 16 | 9 | 12 | 6 | 3 | 9 | 8·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 312 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 22 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 4·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 294 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 23 | 2 | 20 | 8 | 2 | 14 | 15·6 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 272 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 310 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 13 | 10 | 12 | 3 | 6 | 15 | 17·6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 330 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 22 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 8·0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 6 | 71 | 45 | 57·4 | 0·25 | 37·7 | 216 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 16 | 6 | 11 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 4 | 69 | 48 | 57·6 | 0·94 | 36·4 | 151 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 13 | 6 | 5 | .. | 2 | 7 | 8·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 562 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 19 | 6 | 13 | 7 | .. | 6 | 8·3 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 219 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 13 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 9·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 199 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 18th June 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1008 | 382 | 554 | 105 | 64 | 513 | 10·3 | 29 | 22 | 2 | 29 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 14 | 112 | 85 | 33 | 312 | 75† | 43‡ | 57·5‡ | 0·68‡ | 32·4‡ | |
| 11th June 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1070 | 509 | 554 | 105 | 56 | 505 | 10·1 | 29 | 21 | 1 | 36 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 12 | 13 | 98 | 97 | 19 | 312 | 81† | 43† | 57·5‡ | 1·35‡ | 40·3‡ | |
| 20th June 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 989 | 320 | 540 | 94 | 71 | 517 | 10·3 | 19 | 19 | 1 | 27 | 2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 4 | 3 | 15 | 13 | 105 | 96 | 19 | 320 | 83† | 31† | 56·5‡ | 0·03‡ | 72·0‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 25

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 25th June 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 25th June 1960, the births of 1,088 living children, and of 19 stillborn children, 429 marriages and 514 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.8 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.6 and the death-rate 10.3. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 17 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.6 more than in the previous week, and 2.4 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.0 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.5 in Hamilton to 7.0 in Ayr. In Glasgow the rate was 9.2 and in Edinburgh 11.2.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 30, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 37, being 8 more than in the previous week. Of these, 25 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 308, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 35, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 21st June 1960, was 14,679. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 61.6° being 4.1° above that for the previous week, and 6.2° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.00 inch, and the mean sunshine 88.7 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 25 — Week ended Saturday, 25th June 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **TOTAL** | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| **TOTAL** | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **TOTAL** | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 50 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 57 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 8 | 42 | .. | 1 | .. | 127 | .. | 3 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 64 | .. | .. | 7 | 4 | 10 | .. | 32 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 29 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 13 | 82 | .. | 2 | .. | 165 | .. | 4 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | 41 | 73 | .. | .. | 7 | 4 | 22 | .. | 47 | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 78 |
| Grand Total for 25-6-60 | 15 | 92 | .. | 2 | .. | 215 | .. | 9 | 21 | .. | .. | .. | 28 | 4 | .. | 4 | 62 | 74 | .. | .. | 7 | 6 | 40 | .. | 72 | 7 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 148 |
| ,, ,, 18-6-60 | 9 | 140 | .. | 3 | 1 | 129 | 1 | 6 | 14 | 1 | .. | .. | 53 | 6 | .. | 2 | 115 | 9 | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 44 | .. | 82 | 9 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 235 |
| ,, ,, 27 6-59 | 8 | 86 | .. | 6 | 3 | 241 | .. | 4 | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 251 | 4 | .. | .. | 118 | 13 | .. | 3 | 6 | 6 | 67 | .. | 81 | 13 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 88 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 25

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 25th JUNE 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 21st JUNE 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 21st June 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 448 | 169 | 199 | 30 | 20 | 189 | 9·2 | 9 | 10 | 2 | 18 | 1 | 3 | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | 8 | 4 | 24 | 30 | 15 | 107 | 78 | 45 | 62·8 | .. | 35·0 | 4019 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 166 | 93 | 102 | 10 | 9 | 101 | 11·2 | 2 | 4 | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 23 | 19 | 4 | 68 | 76 | 47 | 60·3 | .. | 83·5 | 1149 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 60 | 38 | 53 | 12 | 5 | 46 | 12·9 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | 16 | 3 | 30 | 74 | 44 | 57·7 | .. | 87·5 | 525 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 72 | 22 | 36 | 12 | 5 | 29 | 8·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 12 | 5 | 2 | 20 | 79 | 47 | 60·0 | .. | .. | 591 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 38 | 12 | 18 | 4 | 3 | 17 | 9·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 80 | 47 | 64·7 | .. | 87·2 | 427 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 50 | 19 | 18 | 6 | 4 | 16 | 10·7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 77 | 47 | 62·8 | .. | 96·6 | 370 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 46 | 12 | 11 | 1 | 7 | 17 | 12·2 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 519 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 19 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 9·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 260 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 39 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 10 | 9·6 | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 272 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 17 | 9 | 10 | .. | 3 | 13 | 14·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 229 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 24 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 5 | 13 | 13·1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 290 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 19 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 7·0 | 3 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 237 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 19 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 11·4 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 6 | 81 | 45 | 63·0 | 0·00 | 94·1 | 198 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 14 | 6 | 14 | 7 | .. | 7 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 78 | 46 | 61·8 | .. | 86·8 | 149 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 17 | 10 | 6 | .. | 8 | 14 | 17·5 | .. | 4 | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 467 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 19 | 5 | 8 | 2 | .. | 6 | 8·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 184 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 21 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 10 | 15·5 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 158 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 25th June 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1088 | 429 | 520 | 97 | 91 | 514 | 10·3 | 19 | 25 | 3 | 37 | 4 | 6 | 1 | .. | 4 | 3 | 15 | 15 | 91 | 93 | 35 | 308 | 81† | 44‡ | 61·8‡ | 0·00‡ | 88·7‡ | |
| 18th June 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1008 | 382 | 554 | 105 | 64 | 513 | 10·3 | 29 | 22 | 2 | 29 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 14 | 112 | 85 | 33 | 312 | 75† | 43† | 57·5‡ | 0·68‡ | 32·4‡ | |
| 27th June 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1088 | 450 | 526 | 99 | 66 | 493 | 9·9 | 23 | 15 | 2 | 25 | 2 | 4 | 2 | .. | 8 | 8 | 11 | 13 | 112 | 74 | 21 | 307 | 74† | 45† | 58·7‡ | 0·89‡ | 22·7‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 2nd July 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 2nd July 1960, the births of 1,012 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 464 marriages and 470 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 9.3 and the death-rate 9.4. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 22 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.6 less than in the previous week, but 0.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.7 more than in the previous week, but 0.9 below the average. The death-rate is 0.9 less than in the previous week, and 0.8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.0 in Airdrie to 5.0 in Motherwell & Wishaw. In Glasgow the rate was 8.9 and in Edinburgh 10.2.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. One was due to meningococcal septicaemia and 1 to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 2, both of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 21, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 26, being 11 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 14 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 299, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 24, and are 11 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 28th June 1960, was 14,082. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 56.3° being 5.5° below that for the previous week, but 0.2° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.07 inch, and the mean sunshine 53.6 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 26 — Week ended Saturday, 2nd July 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
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| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dundee B. | 6 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 12 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 6 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 13 |

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| Berwick C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | 46 | .. | .. | .. | 36 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 37 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 20 | .. | 1 | 46 | .. | .. | .. | 39 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 12 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 47 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 10 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Glasgow B. | 11 | 16 | .. | 5 | 2 | 126 | .. | 2 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 59 | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 2 | 4 | .. | 23 | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 56 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 12 | 31 | .. | 5 | 2 | 142 | .. | 3 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 91 | 7 | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 13 | .. | 35 | 10 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 96 |
| Grand Total for 2-7-60 | 18 | 37 | .. | 5 | 2 | 182 | .. | 5 | 61 | .. | .. | .. | 40 | 7 | .. | 1 | 110 | 7 | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 24 | .. | 61 | 17 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 158 |
| ,, ,, 25-6-60 | 15 | 92 | .. | 2 | .. | 215 | .. | 9 | 21 | .. | .. | .. | 28 | 4 | .. | 4 | 62 | 74 | .. | .. | 7 | 6 | 40 | .. | 72 | 7 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 148 |
| ,, ,, 4-7-59 | 10 | 47 | .. | 3 | 4 | 252 | .. | 5 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 216 | 3 | .. | .. | 121 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 72 | .. | 65 | 15 | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 72 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 26

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 2nd JULY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 28th JUNE 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 28th June 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 441 | 199 | 203 | 32 | 13 | 184 | 8·9 | 17 | 4 | .. | 10 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 27 | 31 | 11 | 107 | 70 | 44 | 57·3 | 0·10 | 50·4 | 3865 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 156 | 78 | 103 | 19 | 8 | 92 | 10·2 | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 23 | 6 | 65 | 65 | 46 | 55.6 | 0·13 | 36·1 | 1015 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 58 | 31 | 54 | 13 | 1 | 42 | 11·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 10 | 1 | 30 | 62 | 44 | 52·6 | 0·12 | 54.5 | 461 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 73 | 29 | 36 | 4 | 4 | 36 | 10·4 | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 23 | 67 | 44 | 56·2 | 0·03 | .. | 555 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 42 | 11 | 14 | 4 | 4 | 14 | 7·5 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 0.07 | 53·1 | 435 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 33 | 27 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 8·0 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 70 | 45 | 58·1 | 0·01 | 54·3 | 394 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 28 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 5·0 | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 519 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 11 | 11 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 7·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 245 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 27 | 14 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 5·8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 261 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 19 | 8 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 10·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 237 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 24 | 14 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 9·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 297 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 18 | 4 | 8 | 2 | .. | 6 | 7·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 310 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 24 | 9 | 10 | 4 | 3 | 9 | 10·2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 73 | 42 | 56·8 | 0·02 | 68·6 | 213 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 11 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 8·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 6 | 70 | 44 | 57·3 | 0·06 | 58·5 | 124 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 14 | 3 | 4 | .. | 6 | 10 | 12·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 454 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 22 | 9 | 11 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 13·9 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 230 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 11 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 14·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 200 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 2nd July 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1012 | 464 | 508 | 101 | 63 | 470 | 9·4 | 23 | 14 | 1 | 26 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 11 | 74 | 88 | 24 | 299 | 73† | 42‡ | 56·3‡ | 0·07‡ | 53·6‡ | |
| 25th June 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1088 | 429 | 520 | 97 | 91 | 514 | 10·3 | 19 | 25 | 3 | 37 | 4 | 6 | 1 | .. | 4 | 3 | 15 | 15 | 91 | 93 | 35 | 308 | 81† | 44† | 61·8‡ | 0·00‡ | 88·7‡ | |
| 4th July 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1012 | 496 | 536 | 95 | 54 | 495 | 9·9 | 30 | 12 | 1 | 22 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 109 | 81 | 30 | 310 | 78† | 45† | 58·9‡ | 1·19‡ | 20·2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 27

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 9th July 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 9th July 1960, the births of 1,045 living children, and of 24 stillborn children, 584 marriages and 540 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.9 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 11.7 and the death-rate 10.8. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 22 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.7 more than in the previous week, and 1.4 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.4 more than in the previous week, but 0.6 below the average. The death-rate is 1.4 more than in the previous week, and 0.4 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.3 in Falkirk to 3.1 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 10.8 and in Edinburgh 11.9.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to meningococcal septicæmia.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 7, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—5 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal nd malignant) numbered 39, end equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.4 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 30, being 4 more than in the previous week. Of these, 22 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 339, and are 40 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 5th July 1960, was 13,366. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 57.6° being 1.3° above that for the previous week, but the same as the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.35 inches and the mean sunshine 22.3 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 27 — Week ended Saturday, 9th July 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **Northern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **North-Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dundee B. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 36 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 33 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 38 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 14 | 3 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 39 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 16 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 14 | 7 | .. | 5 | 4 | 76 | .. | 2 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 48 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 2 | 7 | .. | 27 | 6 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 34 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 17 | 21 | .. | 5 | 4 | 93 | .. | 2 | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 70 | 6 | .. | 1 | 5 | 4 | 21 | .. | 57 | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 64 |
| Grand Total for 9-7-60 | 19 | 24 | .. | 5 | 4 | 119 | .. | 5 | 24 | .. | .. | .. | 43 | 1 | .. | 2 | 86 | 10 | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 37 | .. | 81 | 18 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 111 |
| " " 2-7-60 | 18 | 37 | .. | 5 | 2 | 182 | .. | 5 | 61 | .. | .. | .. | 40 | 7 | .. | 1 | 110 | 7 | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 24 | .. | 61 | 17 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 158 |
| " " 11-7-59 | 8 | 12 | .. | 6 | 3 | 247 | .. | 3 | 20 | 3 | .. | 1 | 194 | 10 | .. | 1 | 108 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 73 | .. | 62 | 13 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 65 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 27

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 9th JULY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 5th JULY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 5th July 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 457 | 208 | 230 | 30 | 22 | 222 | 10·8 | 13 | 12 | .. | 15 | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 5 | 14 | 46 | 45 | 7 | 129 | 68 | 48 | 57·9 | 1·30 | 25·5 | 3692 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 169 | 159 | 122 | 20 | 5 | 107 | 11·9 | 5 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 27 | 4 | 72 | 67 | 49 | 57.1 | 1·02 | 13·2 | 876 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 51 | 48 | 51 | 11 | 2 | 42 | 11·8 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 6 | 11 | 4 | 34 | 64 | 40 | 54·4 | 1·56 | 22·2 | 466 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 74 | 23 | 38 | 7 | 2 | 33 | 9·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | 8 | 3 | 3 | 26 | 68 | 46 | 57·4 | 1·51 | .. | 581 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 59 | 18 | 20 | 4 | 4 | 20 | 10·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | 5 | .. | 15 | 72 | 49 | 59·8 | 1.48 | 24·9 | 385 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 37 | 24 | 19 | 4 | 3 | 18 | 12·0 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 6 | 3 | .. | 12 | 66 | 50 | 57·9 | 1·36 | 21·7 | 332 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 21 | 9 | 10 | 1 | 8 | 17 | 12·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 457 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 21 | 13 | 14 | 4 | 3 | 13 | 12·9 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 242 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 14 | 6 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 9·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 323 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 33 | 7 | 18 | 7 | 2 | 13 | 14·5 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 221 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 27 | 13 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 8·0 | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 368 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 18 | 8 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 8 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 265 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 12 | 8 | 10 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 8·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 3 | 68 | 45 | 58·6 | 1·21 | 29·3 | 184 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 18 | 8 | 10 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 8·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 5 | 67 | 45 | 57·4 | 1·33 | 19·2 | 99 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 8 | 10 | 1 | .. | 2 | 3 | 3·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 441 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 17 | 15 | 13 | 4 | 2 | 11 | 15·3 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 150 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 9 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 165 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 9th July 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1045 | 584 | 583 | 113 | 70 | 540 | 10·8 | 24 | 22 | 1 | 30 | 6 | 8 | .. | 1 | 7 | 7 | 14 | 25 | 105 | 106 | 26 | 339 | 72† | 40‡ | 57·6‡ | 1·35‡ | 22·3‡ | |
| 2nd July 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1012 | 464 | 508 | 101 | 63 | 470 | 9·4 | 23 | 14 | 1 | 26 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 11 | 74 | 88 | 24 | 299 | 73† | 42† | 56·3‡ | 0·07‡ | 53·6‡ | |
| 11th July 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1025 | 561 | 523 | 110 | 86 | 499 | 10·0 | 22 | 14 | 6 | 29 | 4 | 10 | .. | 1 | 6 | 4 | 15 | 16 | 106 | 71 | 33 | 303 | 76† | 42† | 60·1‡ | 0·66‡ | 41·7‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 28

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 16th July 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 16th July 1960, the births of 1,015 living children, and of 34 stillborn children, 576 marriages and 485 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.3 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 11.5 and the death-rate 9.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 32 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.6 less than in the previous week, but 2.0 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, and 1.2 below the average. The death-rate is 1.1 less than in the previous week, and 0.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.0 in Hamilton to 7.7 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 8.8 and in Edinburgh 11.3.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to measles.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, of which 5 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 30, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 28, being 2 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 22 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 295, and are 44 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 12th July 1960, was 12,302. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 57.7° being 0.1° above that for the previous week, but 0.9° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.10 inch, and the mean sunshine 30.9 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 28 — Week ended Saturday, 16th July 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | ... | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |

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| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 1 | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 53 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 36 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 2 | 24 | .. | .. | .. | 56 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 41 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Glasgow B. | 9 | 3 | .. | 2 | 1 | 59 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | 33 | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 5 | 7 | .. | 23 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 40 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Stirling C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 12 | 24 | .. | 2 | 1 | 72 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | 51 | 2 | .. | 1 | 4 | 5 | 22 | .. | 59 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 83 |
| Grand Total for 16-7-60 | 14 | 27 | .. | 2 | 1 | 108 | .. | 4 | 26 | .. | .. | .. | 59 | 5 | .. | 1 | 68 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 43 | .. | 66 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 129 |
| " 9-7-60 | 19 | 24 | .. | 5 | 4 | 119 | .. | 5 | 24 | .. | .. | .. | 43 | 1 | .. | 2 | 86 | 10 | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 37 | .. | 81 | 18 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 111 |
| " " 18 7-59 | 3 | 17 | .. | 2 | 1 | 135 | .. | 7 | 9 | .. | .. | 1 | 146 | 7 | .. | 1 | 82 | 13 | .. | 1 | 3 | 8 | 53 | .. | 88 | 8 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 62 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 28

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 16th JULY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 12th JULY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 12th July 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow . | 1,075,800 | 385 | 242 | 188 | 24 | 17 | 181 | 8·8 | 14 | 10 | 1 | 13 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 34 | 29 | 11 | 102 | 65 | 48 | 57·3 | 1·13 | 22·1 | 3477 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 183 | 80 | 111 | 16 | 7 | 102 | 11·3 | 6 | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 25 | 18 | 8 | 69 | 67 | 50 | 58·0 | 0·69 | 36·7 | 804 |
| 3. Aberdeen . | 186,900 | 69 | 65 | 47 | 17 | 2 | 32 | 9·0 | 3 | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 20 | 65 | 45 | 56·1 | 0·43 | 37·0 | 382 |
| 4. Dundee . | 181,800 | 74 | 21 | 34 | 7 | 2 | 29 | 8·3 | 3 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 9 | 2 | 2 | 20 | 69 | 47 | 58·2 | 1·28 | .. | 603 |
| 5. Paisley . . | 97,200 | 49 | 11 | 23 | 4 | 1 | 20 | 10·8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 7 | 5 | .. | 13 | 68 | 50 | 59·0 | 1·28 | 29·1 | 384 |
| 6. Greenock . | 78,400 | 31 | 10 | 22 | 2 | .. | 20 | 13·3 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 66 | 50 | 57·9 | 2·14 | 26·9 | 196 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 20 | 24 | 10 | 2 | 8 | 16 | 11·4 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 472 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy . | 52,700 | 16 | 30 | 7 | 2 | 4 | 9 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 200 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 34 | 10 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 7·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 293 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 19 | 13 | 14 | 9 | 2 | 7 | 7·8 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 196 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 27 | 8 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 9 | 9·1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 204 |
| 12. Ayr . . . | 44,600 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 9·4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 241 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 21 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 9·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | 67 | 49 | 58·4 | 0·95 | 29·4 | 183 |
| 14. Perth . . | 41,100 | 15 | 10 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 11·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 7 | 67 | 48 | 56·8 | 0·87 | 34·9 | 90 |
| 15. Hamilton . | 41,900 | 18 | 17 | 5 | .. | 7 | 12 | 15·0 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 451 |
| 16. Falkirk . | 37,700 | 18 | 10 | 11 | 5 | .. | 6 | 8·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 129 |
| 17. Airdrie . | 33,700 | 27 | 12 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 9 | 14·0 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 190 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16th July 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 1015 | 576 | 517 | 100 | 68 | 485 | 9·7 | 34 | 22 | 2 | 28 | 5 | 4 | .. | 1 | 6 | 5 | 13 | 17 | 99 | 84 | 26 | 295 | 69† | 45‡ | 57·7‡ | 1·10‡ | 30·9‡ | |
| 9th July 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 1045 | 584 | 583 | 113 | 70 | 540 | 10·8 | 24 | 22 | 1 | 30 | 6 | 8 | .. | 1 | 7 | 7 | 14 | 25 | 105 | 106 | 26 | 339 | 72† | 40† | 57·6‡ | 1·35‡ | 22·3‡ | |
| 18th July 1959 . | 2,608,800‖ | 958 | 494 | 494 | 101 | 64 | 457 | 9·1 | 18 | 17 | 4 | 25 | 5 | 4 | 1 | .. | 4 | 4 | 18 | 9 | 103 | 82 | 21 | 291 | 71† | 41† | 57·9‡ | 0·74‡ | 34·8‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 23rd July 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 23rd July 1960, the births of 988 living children, and of 20 stillborn children, 730 marriages and 535 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.8 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 14.6 and the death-rate 10.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 20 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 less than in the previous week, but 0.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 3.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.7 above the average. The death-rate is 1.0 more than in the previous week, and 0.8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.2 in Kilmarnock to 7.7 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 10.7 and in Edinburgh 10.2.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are the same as in the previous week, but respiratory 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 31, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 30, being 2 more than in the previous week. Of these, 17 were aged 0-6 days and 5 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 339, and are 44 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 24, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 19th July 1960, was 12,045. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 56.8° being 0.9° below that for the previous week, and 2.3° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.67 inch, and the mean sunshine 28.7 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 29 — Week ended Saturday, 23rd July 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | ... | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 14 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |

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| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 37 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 36 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 43 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 39 | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 37 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 46 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Glasgow B. | 11 | 5 | .. | 8 | 1 | 147 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | 60 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 7 | 15 | .. | 14 | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 37 | |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 13 | 23 | .. | 8 | 1 | 166 | .. | .. | 17 | 1 | .. | 4 | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | 79 | 2 | .. | 1 | 5 | 8 | 24 | .. | 24 | 4 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 59 | |
| Grand Total for 23-7-60 | 14 | 24 | .. | 8 | 1 | 218 | .. | 1 | 27 | 1 | .. | 4 | 46 | 5 | .. | 1 | 90 | 4 | .. | 1 | 5 | 8 | 39 | .. | 44 | 8 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 115 | |
| " " 16-7-60 | 14 | 27 | .. | 2 | 1 | 198 | .. | 4 | 26 | .. | .. | .. | 59 | 5 | .. | 1 | 68 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 6 | 43 | .. | 66 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 129 | |
| " " 25-7-59 | 14 | 15 | .. | 9 | 5 | 199 | .. | 12 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 127 | 4 | .. | .. | 128 | 13 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 63 | .. | 60 | 10 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 88 | |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 29

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 23rd JULY 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 19th JULY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 19th July 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 451 | 400 | 237 | 41 | 24 | 220 | 10·7 | 10 | 8 | 3 | 13 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 48 | 41 | 12 | 133 | 66 | 47 | 56·7 | 0·90 | 26·0 | 3178 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 146 | 63 | 112 | 24 | 4 | 92 | 10·2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 7 | 18 | 14 | 4 | 71 | 65 | 48 | 56·9 | 0·70 | 13·2 | 860 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 80 | 37 | 44 | 14 | 2 | 32 | 9·0 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 7 | 9 | .. | 21 | 65 | 44 | 55·3 | 1·59 | 31·6 | 385 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 64 | 44 | 38 | 5 | 3 | 36 | 10·4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 14 | 5 | 3 | 20 | 69 | 47 | 57·5 | 0·53 | n.a. | 504 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 46 | 24 | 30 | 7 | 7 | 30 | 16·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 21 | 69 | 48 | 58·6 | 0·33 | 34·5 | 389 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 23 | 7 | 16 | 2 | 1 | 15 | 10·0 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 66 | 47 | 57·2 | 0·47 | 33·7 | 300 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 18 | 33 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 11 | 7·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 492 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 20 | 12 | 15 | 3 | 1 | 13 | 12·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | 3 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 183 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 17 | 23 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 7·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 329 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 20 | 12 | 10 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 10·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 154 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 18 | 4 | 11 | 6 | 9 | 14 | 14·1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 243 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 16 | 14 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 8·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 245 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 16 | 3 | 17 | 4 | 3 | 16 | 18·2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 12 | 69 | 47 | 57·7 | 0·50 | 35·0 | 166 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 15 | 13 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 8·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | 3 | 67 | 38 | 54·1 | 0·33 | 27·2 | 92 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 9 | 17 | 5 | .. | 6 | 11 | 13·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 420 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 17 | 9 | 12 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 12·5 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 149 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 12 | 15 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 7·8 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 113 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 23rd July 1960 | 2,614,800 | 988 | 730 | 583 | 129 | 81 | 535 | 10·7 | 20 | 17 | 5 | 30 | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | 6 | 6 | 10 | 21 | 124 | 92 | 24 | 339 | 69† | 38‡ | 56·8‡ | 0·67‡ | 28·7‡ | |
| 16th July 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1015 | 576 | 517 | 100 | 68 | 485 | 9·7 | 34 | 22 | 2 | 28 | 5 | 4 | .. | 1 | 6 | 5 | 13 | 17 | 99 | 84 | 26 | 295 | 69† | 45† | 57·7‡ | 1·10‡ | 30·9‡ | |
| 25th July 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1010 | 724 | 587 | 145 | 86 | 528 | 10·6 | 30 | 14 | 1 | 22 | 6 | 4 | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | 14 | 14 | 135 | 73 | 28 | 315 | 81† | 45† | 62·2‡ | 0·06‡ | 50·4‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 30

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 30th July 1960

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 30th July 1960, the births of 1,014 living children, and of 17 stillborn children, 446 marriages and 518 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.3 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.9 and the death-rate 10.4. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 16 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 more than in the previous week, and 1.0 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 5.7 less than in the previous week, and 2.4 below the average. The death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, but 0.6 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.8 in Kilmarnock to 6.2 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 10.1 and in Edinburgh 10.7.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 8, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—2 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 29, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, and the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 22, being 8 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 15 were aged 0-6 days and none was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 326, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 18, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 26th July 1960, was 10,852. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 59.2° being 2.4° above that for the previous week, and 1.3° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.48 inch, and the mean sunshine 36.6 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 30 — Week ended Saturday, 30th July 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |

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| Berwick C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 57 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 2 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 44 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | 59 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 15 | .. | 10 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 52 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 20 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Lanark C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 5 | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 9 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Glasgow B. | 12 | 2 | .. | 5 | 1 | 80 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 48 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 30 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Total | 14 | 4 | .. | 5 | 1 | 101 | .. | .. | 43 | 2 | .. | 2 | 6 | 2 | .. | 1 | 71 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 22 | .. | 42 | 7 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | 89 |
| Grand Total for 30-7-60 | 15 | 6 | .. | 5 | 1 | 118 | .. | 2 | 57 | 3 | .. | 2 | 66 | 3 | .. | 1 | 90 | 5 | .. | .. | 4 | 6 | 41 | .. | 60 | 12 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | 142 |
| " " 23-7-60 | 14 | 24 | .. | 8 | 1 | 218 | .. | 1 | 27 | 1 | .. | 4 | 46 | 5 | .. | 1 | 90 | 4 | .. | 1 | 5 | 8 | 39 | .. | 44 | 8 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 115 |
| " " 1-3-59 | 6 | 20 | .. | 1 | 6 | 160 | .. | 5 | 63 | 1 | .. | .. | 110 | 7 | .. | 1 | 99 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 43 | .. | 54 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 61 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 30

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 30th JULY 1960
# RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 26th JULY 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 26th July 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow . | 1,075,800 | 417 | 109 | 224 | 36 | 20 | 268 | 10·1 | 10 | 8 | .. | 12 | 1 | 3 | .. | 1 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 47 | 33 | 10 | 118 | 68 | 47 | 58·4 | 0·72 | 32·1 | 2892 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 193 | 80 | 102 | 10 | 4 | 96 | 10·7 | 2 | 2 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 20 | 23 | 3 | 54 | 71 | 49 | 59·8 | 0·06 | 35·4 | 1124 |
| 3. Aberdeen . | 186,900 | 63 | 38 | 63 | 15 | 3 | 51 | 14·3 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 6 | 11 | 2 | 42 | 71 | 46 | 57·4 | 1·08 | 39·6 | 374 |
| 4. Dundee . | 181,800 | 60 | 98 | 45 | 9 | 3 | 39 | 11·2 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 8 | 7 | 1 | 32 | 73 | 48 | 60·6 | 0·30 | n.a. | 484 |
| 5. Paisley . . | 97,200 | 27 | 25 | 18 | 5 | 3 | 16 | 8·6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 68 | 50 | 59·9 | 0·44 | 45·1 | 349 |
| 6. Greenock . | 78,400 | 36 | 9 | 14 | 4 | 1 | 11 | 7·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 7 | 66 | 50 | 58·6 | 0·67 | 39·2 | 385 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 21 | 9 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 11 | 7·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 292 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy . | 52,700 | 14 | 8 | 13 | 6 | .. | 7 | 7·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 102 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 40 | 4 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 8·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 151 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 18 | 8 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 14·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 122 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 19 | 4 | 9 | 5 | 4 | 8 | 8·0 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 317 |
| 12. Ayr . . . | 44,600 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 7 | 5 | 12 | 14·1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 156 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 27 | 23 | 13 | 3 | 3 | 13 | 14·8 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | 70 | 47 | 58·9 | 0·29 | 29·4 | 155 |
| 14. Perth . . | 41,100 | 13 | 3 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 70 | 46 | 59·6 | 0·25 | 35·4 | 108 |
| 15. Hamilton . | 41,900 | 16 | 4 | 5 | .. | 2 | 7 | 8·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 234 |
| 16. Falkirk . | 37,700 | 14 | 7 | 17 | 11 | .. | 6 | 8·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 190 |
| 17. Airdrie . | 33,700 | 24 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 89 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 30th July 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 1014 | 446 | 583 | 124 | 59 | 518 | 10·4 | 17 | 15 | .. | 22 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 13 | 16 | 113 | 88 | 18 | 326 | 73† | 46‡ | 59·2‡ | 0 48‡ | 36·6‡ | |
| 23rd July 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 988 | 730 | 583 | 129 | 81 | 535 | 10·7 | 20 | 17 | 5 | 30 | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | 6 | 6 | 10 | 21 | 124 | 92 | 24 | 339 | 69† | 38† | 56·8‡ | 0·67‡ | 28·7‡ | |
| 1st August 1959 . | 2,608,800‖ | 1061 | 445 | 526 | 104 | 73 | 495 | 9·9 | 17 | 24 | 3 | 34 | 9 | 4 | .. | .. | 4 | 3 | 17 | 13 | 112 | 88 | 18 | 297 | 72† | 47† | 59·2‡ | 2·13‡ | 20·6‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 31

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 6th August 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 6th August 1960, the births of 1,070 living children, and of 31 stillborn children, 518 marriages and 510 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 21.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 10.4 and the death-rate 10.2. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 28 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.1 more than in the previous week, and 2.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.5 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the average. The death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.3 in Falkirk to 5.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 9.9 and in Edinburgh 11.3.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. One was due to meningococcal septicæmia and 1 to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, of which 5 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 39, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 7 more than in the previous week. Of these, 18 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 315, and are 11 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 30, and are 12 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 2nd August 1960, was 10,490. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 60.5° being 1.3° above that for the previous week, and 2.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.41 inch, and the mean sunshine 35.4 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 31 — Week ended Saturday, 6th August 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 33 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 4 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 38 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 34 | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 7 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 44 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Lanark C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Glasgow B. | 10 | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | 59 | .. | .. | 114 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 37 | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | 14 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 24 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 11 | 7 | .. | 4 | .. | 74 | .. | .. | 124 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 60 | 1 | .. | 1 | 3 | 2 | 12 | .. | 31 | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 56 |
| Grand Total for 6-8-60 | 16 | 11 | .. | 4 | .. | 109 | .. | 3 | 128 | .. | .. | .. | 35 | 2 | .. | 3 | 68 | 3 | .. | 1 | 4 | 2 | 30 | .. | 49 | 11 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 112 |
| " " 30-7-60 | 15 | 6 | .. | 5 | 1 | 118 | .. | 2 | 57 | 3 | .. | 2 | 66 | 3 | .. | 1 | 90 | 5 | .. | .. | 4 | 6 | 41 | .. | 60 | 12 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | 142 |
| " " 8-8-59 | 13 | 7 | .. | 2 | 2 | 161 | .. | 2 | 20 | .. | 1 | 1 | 65 | 11 | .. | .. | 76 | 4 | .. | 3 | 3 | 4 | 43 | .. | 56 | 10 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 99 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 31

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 6th AUGUST 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 2nd AUGUST 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 2nd Aug. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 474 | 166 | 208 | 30 | 26 | 204 | 9·9 | 16 | 8 | .. | 14 | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 9 | 43 | 22 | 11 | 119 | 77 | 47 | 60·9 | 0·28 | 36·2 | 2786 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 172 | 121 | 110 | 16 | 8 | 102 | 11·3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 18 | 15 | 9 | 67 | 72 | 47 | 58·6 | 0·57 | 27·4 | 987 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 50 | 43 | 46 | 13 | 3 | 36 | 10·1 | 3 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 22 | 68 | 46 | 57·1 | 0·92 | 39·8 | 423 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 65 | 33 | 36 | 5 | 7 | 38 | 10·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 8 | 8 | 3 | 29 | 76 | 48 | 61·8 | 0·25 | n.a. | 317 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 60 | 37 | 17 | 5 | 5 | 17 | 9·1 | 3 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | 10 | 77 | 48 | 61·9 | 0·31 | 39·0 | 357 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 26 | 8 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 7·3 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 9 | 77 | 50 | 61·6 | 0·31 | 38·6 | 398 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 29 | 10 | 6 | .. | 8 | 14 | 10·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 275 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 24 | 13 | 8 | 3 | .. | 5 | 5·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 132 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 30 | 8 | 16 | 7 | 4 | 13 | 12·5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 168 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 16 | 11 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 10·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 154 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 10 | 9 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 8 | 8·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 296 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 12 | 16 | 13 | 8 | .. | 5 | 5·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 149 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 18 | 11 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 11·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 7 | 74 | 46 | 61·0 | 0·35 | 37·6 | 126 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 19 | 10 | 15 | 5 | 1 | 11 | 14·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | 77 | 44 | 60·8 | 0·31 | 29·3 | 112 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 19 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 10 | 12·5 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 281 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 22 | 7 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 15·3 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 146 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 24 | 6 | 3 | .. | 3 | 6 | 9·3 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 125 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 6th Aug. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1070 | 518 | 537 | 107 | 80 | 510 | 10·2 | 31 | 18 | 2 | 29 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 17 | 22 | 92 | 74 | 30 | 315 | 77† | 44‡ | 60·5‡ | 0·41‡ | 35·4‡ | |
| 30th July 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1014 | 446 | 583 | 124 | 59 | 518 | 10·4 | 17 | 15 | .. | 22 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 13 | 16 | 113 | 88 | 18 | 326 | 73† | 46† | 59·2‡ | 0·48‡ | 36·6‡ | |
| 8th Aug. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1044 | 524 | 523 | 99 | 59 | 483 | 9·7 | 21 | 22 | .. | 28 | 3 | 7 | 1 | .. | 8 | 5 | 5 | 18 | 96 | 84 | 26 | 284 | 76† | 46† | 60·2‡ | 0·04‡ | 30·5‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 32

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 13th August 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 13th August 1960, the births of 1,003 living children, and of 20 stillborn children, 465 marriages and 485 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 9.3 and the death-rate 9.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 20 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.3 less than in the previous week, but 1.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.1 less than in the previous week, and 1.2 below the average. The death-rate is 0.5 less than in the previous week, but 0.3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 12.9 in Ayr to 2.9 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 10.0 and in Edinburgh 11.0.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to whooping cough.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 3, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 3 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 34, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.2 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 20, being 9 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 13 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 293, and are 22 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 31, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 9th August 1960, was 14,082. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 55.4° being 5.1° below that for the previous week, and 3.0° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.51 inch, and the mean sunshine 41.4 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 32 — Week ended Saturday, 13th August 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 42 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 42 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 20 | .. | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 43 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 52 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 15 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | 141 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 56 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 5 | 10 | .. | 34 | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 34 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 16 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 165 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 86 | 5 | .. | 1 | 2 | 5 | 19 | .. | 62 | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 60 |
| Grand Total for 13-8-60 | 19 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 191 | 1 | 4 | 19 | .. | .. | .. | 48 | 4 | .. | .. | 96 | 5 | .. | 1 | 2 | 5 | 29 | .. | 74 | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 117 |
| " 6-8-60 | 16 | 11 | .. | 4 | .. | 109 | .. | 3 | 128 | .. | .. | .. | 35 | 2 | .. | 3 | 68 | 3 | .. | 1 | 4 | 2 | 30 | .. | 49 | 11 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 112 |
| " " 15-3-59 | 13 | 8 | .. | 4 | 2 | 213 | .. | 8 | 30 | .. | .. | .. | 68 | 3 | .. | .. | 107 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 64 | .. | 63 | 19 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 96 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 32

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 13th AUGUST 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 9th AUGUST 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 9th Aug. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow . | 1,075,800 | 413 | 173 | 209 | 23 | 20 | 206 | 10·0 | 10 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 12 | 34 | 26 | 11 | 118 | 67 | 45 | 55·6 | 0·27 | 44·5 | 4458 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 171 | 107 | 104 | 11 | 6 | 99 | 11·0 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 20 | 16 | 9 | 64 | 66 | 46 | 55·9 | 0·48 | 29·7 | 994 |
| 3. Aberdeen . | 186,900 | 70 | 49 | 48 | 14 | 3 | 37 | 10·4 | 3 | 4 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | 12 | 3 | 24 | 60 | 40 | 51·9 | 1·11 | 28·4 | 491 |
| 4. Dundee . | 181,800 | 75 | 22 | 36 | 7 | 2 | 31 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 10 | 7 | 1 | 18 | 65 | 43 | 55·2 | 0·59 | n.a. | 390 |
| 5. Paisley . . | 97,200 | 43 | 9 | 16 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 5·9 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 69 | 46 | 57·3 | 0·29 | 55·9 | 324 |
| 6. Greenock . | 78,400 | 27 | 7 | 20 | 7 | 1 | 14 | 9·3 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | 9 | 65 | 47 | 55·9 | 0·51 | 53·2 | 399 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 26 | 10 | 9 | 2 | 7 | 14 | 10·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 561 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy . | 52,700 | 15 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 7·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 125 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 27 | 14 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 358 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 20 | 9 | 11 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 10·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 226 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 22 | 12 | 6 | .. | 5 | 11 | 11·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 349 |
| 12. Ayr . . . | 44,600 | 16 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 6 | 11 | 12·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | 1 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 241 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 21 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 6·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 72 | 42 | 56·2 | 0·27 | 43·4 | 75 |
| 14. Perth . . | 41,100 | 11 | 14 | 10 | 7 | 2 | 5 | 6·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | 65 | 38 | 54·8 | 0·52 | 35·0 | 121 |
| 15. Hamilton . | 41,900 | 17 | 9 | 3 | .. | 2 | 5 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 522 |
| 16. Falkirk . | 37,700 | 21 | 7 | 14 | 7 | 1 | 8 | 11·1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 219 |
| 17. Airdrie . | 33,700 | 8 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 10·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 196 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 13th Aug. 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 1003 | 465 | 515 | 98 | 68 | 485 | 9·7 | 20 | 13 | 2 | 20 | 3 | 3 | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | 14 | 20 | 98 | 79 | 31 | 293 | 72† | 38‡ | 55·4‡ | 0·51‡ | 41·4‡ | |
| 6th Aug. 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 1070 | 518 | 537 | 107 | 30 | 510 | 10·2 | 31 | 18 | 2 | 29 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 17 | 22 | 92 | 74 | 30 | 315 | 77† | 44† | 60·5‡ | 0·41‡ | 35·4‡ | |
| 15th Aug. 1959 . | 2,608,800‖ | 924 | 368 | 489 | 104 | 60 | 445 | 8·9 | 27 | 12 | 2 | 20 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 14 | 8 | 109 | 76 | 24 | 284 | 76† | 45† | 60·7‡ | 0·33‡ | 37·6‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 33

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 20th August 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 20th August 1960, the births of 969 living children, and of 17 stillborn children, 359 marriages and 485 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 7.2 and the death-rate 9.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 17 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.7 less than in the previous week, but 0.9 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.1 less than in the previous week, and 1.2 below the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 13.5 in Paisley to 4.0 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 10.5 and in Edinburgh 8.4.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

There was 1 death from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—2 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 29, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 20, being the same as in the previous week. Of these, 12 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 314, and are 21 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 23, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 16th August 1960, was 13,603. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 55.0° being 0.4° below that for the previous week, and 2.6° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.83 inch, and the mean sunshine 40.5 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 33 — Week ended Saturday, 20th August 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | ... | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 8 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | 1 | 40 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 24 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | 1 | 42 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 9 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 47 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Glasgow B. | 9 | 4 | .. | 8 | .. | 108 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 30 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | .. | 24 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 23 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Motherwell B. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 15 | 11 | .. | 8 | .. | 134 | .. | 2 | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 47 | 6 | .. | 2 | 3 | 3 | 14 | .. | 38 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 64 |
| Grand Total for 20-8-60 | 17 | 12 | .. | 8 | .. | 153 | .. | 6 | 23 | .. | .. | 2 | 43 | 4 | .. | 6 | 58 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 24 | .. | 59 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 117 |
| " " 13-8-60 | 19 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | 191 | 1 | 4 | 19 | .. | .. | .. | 48 | 4 | .. | .. | 96 | 5 | .. | 1 | 2 | 5 | 29 | .. | 74 | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 117 |
| " " 22-8-59 | 9 | 10 | .. | 3 | .. | 179 | .. | 6 | 13 | 3 | .. | .. | 25 | 6 | .. | 1 | 83 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 42 | .. | 73 | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 105 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 33

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 20th AUGUST 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 16th AUGUST 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 16th Aug. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 445 | 149 | 222 | 32 | 27 | 217 | 10·5 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 7 | 59 | 36 | 11 | 130 | 65 | 41 | 53·9 | 0·68 | 41·8 | 3920 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 137 | 61 | 89 | 18 | 5 | 76 | 8·4 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | 20 | 12 | 4 | 56 | 67 | 46 | 55·9 | 0·58 | 43·3 | 1035 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 51 | 35 | 54 | 14 | 3 | 43 | 12·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 12 | 2 | 26 | 64 | 41 | 53·1 | 0·81 | 34·6 | 452 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 54 | 18 | 19 | 1 | 5 | 23 | 6·6 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 3 | 1 | 20 | 67 | 42 | 55·8 | 1·25 | n.a. | 631 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 41 | 8 | 25 | 5 | 5 | 25 | 13 5 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 13 | 66 | 43 | 56·3 | 0·66 | 44·0 | 319 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 38 | 9 | 24 | 6 | 2 | 20 | 13·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | 4 | .. | 16 | 65 | 45 | 55·3 | 1·03 | 37·9 | 402 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 26 | 9 | 13 | 3 | 5 | 15 | 10·7 | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 8 | 2 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 473 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 21 | 5 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 7·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 214 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 17 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 7·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 337 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 12 | 10 | 18 | 10 | 2 | 10 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 235 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 17 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 287 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 17 | 11 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 10·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 197 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 26 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | 64 | 40 | 54·4 | 0·67 | 42·1 | 126 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 17 | 9 | 11 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 7·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | 65 | 37 | 54·9 | 0·94 | 39·6 | 116 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 8 | 10·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 452 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 12 | 9 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 8·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 190 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 20 | 7 | 2 | .. | 2 | 4 | 6·2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 195 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 20th Aug. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 969 | 359 | 521 | 110 | 74 | 485 | 9·7 | 17 | 12 | 2 | 20 | 3 | 4 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | 13 | 16 | 122 | 88 | 23 | 314 | 67† | 37‡ | 55·0‡ | 0·83‡ | 40·5‡ | |
| 13th Aug. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1003 | 465 | 515 | 98 | 63 | 485 | 9·7 | 20 | 13 | 2 | 20 | 3 | 3 | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | 14 | 20 | 98 | 79 | 31 | 293 | 72† | 38† | 55·4‡ | 0·51‡ | 41·4‡ | |
| 22nd Aug. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 950 | 386 | 561 | 102 | 48 | 507 | 10·1 | 15 | 14 | 3 | 28 | .. | 11 | 1 | .. | 9 | 7 | 17 | 11 | 121 | 85 | 26 | 306 | 81† | 46† | 63·5‡ | 0·08‡ | 44·1‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 34

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 27th August 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 27th August 1960, the births of 968 living children, and of 27 stillborn children, 415 marriages and 558 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.4 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.3 and the death-rate 11.2. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 27 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is the same as in the previous week, but 0.8 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.1 more than in the previous week, but 0.7 below the average. The death-rate is 1.5 more than in the previous week, and 1.1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.1 in Clydebank to 3.7 in Hamilton. In Glasgow and in Edinburgh the rate was 11.1.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to meningococcal septicæmia.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 6, all of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—5 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 32, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.6 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 26, being 6 more than in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 363, and are 49 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 28, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 23rd August 1960, was 14,699. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 60.2° being 5.2° above that for the previous week, and 3.5° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 2.16 inches, and the mean sunshine 28.0 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 34 — Week ended Saturday, 27th August 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | ... | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 28 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 37 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 28 | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 11 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 47 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Glasgow B. | 10 | 12 | .. | 6 | 2 | 103 | .. | 1 | 21 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 45 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 8 | 5 | .. | 28 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 34 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Motherwell B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 16 | 18 | .. | 6 | 2 | 129 | .. | 2 | 24 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | 76 | 11 | .. | .. | 6 | 14 | 15 | .. | 63 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 65 |
| Grand Total for 27-8-60 | 18 | 19 | .. | 6 | 2 | 159 | .. | 6 | 31 | 1 | .. | .. | 31 | 3 | .. | 3 | 84 | 11 | .. | .. | 6 | 17 | 26 | .. | 82 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 116 |
| „ „ 20-8-60 | 17 | 12 | .. | 8 | .. | 153 | .. | 6 | 23 | .. | .. | 2 | 43 | 4 | .. | 6 | 58 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 24 | .. | 59 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 117 |
| „ „ 29-8-59 | 13 | 23 | .. | 3 | .. | 182 | .. | 9 | 23 | 3 | .. | .. | 26 | 5 | .. | 1 | 80 | 12 | .. | 2 | 5 | 6 | 51 | .. | 75 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 115 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 34

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 27th AUGUST 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 23rd AUGUST 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 23rd Aug. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow . | 1,075,800 | 419 | 166 | 239 | 28 | 17 | 228 | 11·1 | 14 | 11 | 4 | 20 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 7 | 9 | 49 | 33 | 10 | 143 | 69 | 50 | 59·5 | 2·88 | 21·2 | 4191 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 159 | 92 | 115 | 18 | 3 | 100 | 11·1 | 5 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 23 | 21 | 7 | 66 | 69 | 52 | 59·7 | 2·55 | 23·5 | 1032 |
| 3. Aberdeen . | 186,900 | 57 | 29 | 53 | 17 | 2 | 38 | 10·6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 11 | 8 | 2 | 26 | 70 | 45 | 57·6 | 1·37 | 37·7 | 515 |
| 4. Dundee . | 181,800 | 68 | 24 | 37 | 4 | .. | 33 | 9·5 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 6 | 6 | 2 | 23 | 72 | 49 | 60·1 | 2·35 | n.a. | 648 |
| 5. Paisley . . | 97,200 | 27 | 5 | 29 | 9 | 4 | 24 | 12 9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | 3 | .. | 19 | 71 | 54 | 62·1 | 2·13 | 32·1 | 464 |
| 6. Greenock . | 78,400 | 39 | 15 | 21 | 3 | 3 | 21 | 14·0 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 69 | 52 | 60·4 | 1·72 | 30·3 | 450 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 32 | 12 | 18 | 2 | 9 | 25 | 17·9 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 5 | 2 | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 491 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy . | 52,700 | 22 | 9 | 12 | 4 | 2 | 10 | 9·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 233 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 24 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 11 | 10·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 367 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 18 | 9 | 11 | 4 | 4 | 11 | 12·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 199 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 15 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 14 | 18 | 18·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 3 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 343 |
| 12. Ayr . . . | 44,600 | 12 | 12 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 10·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 245 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 19 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 5·7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | 81 | 53 | 62·3 | 2·02 | 26·6 | 198 |
| 14. Perth . . | 41,100 | 13 | 10 | 3 | .. | 4 | 7 | 8·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 3 | 69 | 48 | 59·9 | 2·24 | 24·7 | 100 |
| 15. Hamilton . | 41,900 | 11 | 6 | 1 | .. | 2 | 3 | 3·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 413 |
| 16. Falkirk . | 37,700 | 19 | 9 | 10 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 8·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 226 |
| 17. Airdrie . | 33,700 | 14 | 4 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 9 | 14·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 174 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 27th Aug. 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 968 | 415 | 587 | 106 | 77 | 558 | 11·2 | 27 | 16 | 4 | 26 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 13 | 19 | 119 | 96 | 28 | 363 | 81† | 45‡ | 60·2‡ | 2·16‡ | 28·0‡ | |
| 20th Aug. 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 969 | 359 | 521 | 110 | 74 | 485 | 9·7 | 17 | 12 | 2 | 20 | 3 | 4 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | 13 | 16 | 122 | 88 | 23 | 314 | 67† | 37† | 55·0‡ | 0·83‡ | 40·5‡ | |
| 29th Aug. 1959 . | 2,608,800‖ | 955 | 430 | 503 | 105 | 75 | 473 | 9·5 | 23 | 15 | 3 | 31 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 19 | 8 | 113 | 82 | 21 | 287 | 79† | 42† | 60·5‡ | 0·28‡ | 31·2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 35

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 3rd September 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs, which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 3rd September 1960, the births of 990 living children, and of 21 stillborn children, 443 marriages and 509 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.8 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 8.9 and the death-rate 10.2. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.4 more than in the previous week, and 1.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.6 more than in the previous week, but 0.6 below the average. The death-rate is 1.0 less than in the previous week, but 0.8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 13.7 in Hamilton to 4.5 in Kilmarnock. In Glasgow the rate was 10.5 and in Edinburgh 11.7.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 39, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, and 0.4 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 25, being 1 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 13 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 308, and are 55 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 26, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 30th August 1960, was 15,353. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 56.1° being 4.1° below that for the previous week, but 0.1° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.69 inch, and the mean sunshine 24.9 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 35 — Week ended Saturday, 3rd September 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | ... | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 34 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 34 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 10 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 20 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Ayr C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Glasgow B. | 8 | 16 | .. | 5 | 2 | 123 | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | 52 | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 9 | .. | 25 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 79 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 11 | 25 | .. | 5 | 2 | 144 | .. | 3 | 8 | 3 | .. | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | 76 | 6 | .. | 2 | 4 | 4 | 19 | .. | 64 | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 104 |
| Grand Total for 3-9-60 | 14 | 26 | .. | 5 | 2 | 163 | .. | 5 | 15 | 3 | .. | 1 | 47 | 3 | .. | 1 | 82 | 7 | .. | 2 | 4 | 7 | 35 | .. | 84 | 12 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 131 |
| " " 27-8-60 | 18 | 19 | .. | 6 | 2 | 159 | .. | 6 | 31 | 1 | .. | .. | 31 | 3 | .. | 3 | 84 | 11 | .. | .. | 6 | 17 | 26 | .. | 82 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 116 |
| " " 5-9-59 | 24 | 52 | .. | 6 | 1 | 253 | .. | 4 | 36 | 3 | .. | .. | 14 | 7 | .. | 1 | 84 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 7 | 58 | .. | 60 | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 191 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 3rd SEPTEMBER 1960
## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 30th AUGUST 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 30th Aug. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 443 | 187 | 231 | 28 | 13 | 216 | 10·5 | 13 | 3 | 3 | 12 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | 8 | 11 | 55 | 42 | 11 | 114 | 69 | 44 | 55·9 | 0·45 | 24·3 | 4354 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 167 | 69 | 109 | 14 | 10 | 105 | 11·7 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 21 | 22 | 5 | 71 | 65 | 47 | 55·9 | 0·47 | 13·8 | 1061 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 55 | 30 | 47 | 18 | 3 | 32 | 9·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 10 | 4 | 2 | 18 | 65 | 37 | 52·4 | 0·82 | 23·2 | 499 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 60 | 29 | 38 | 6 | 6 | 38 | 10·9 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 21 | 71 | 43 | 56·7 | 0·60 | n.a. | 645 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 30 | 13 | 18 | 7 | 1 | 12 | 6·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | 11 | 71 | 47 | 57.8 | 0·58 | 26·8 | 451 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 38 | 12 | 18 | 3 | 3 | 18 | 12·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | 5 | 3 | 12 | 66 | 48 | 56·9 | 0·59 | 30·4 | 475 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 27 | 15 | 8 | .. | 11 | 19 | 13·6 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 594 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 7 | 13 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 6·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 250 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 14 | 8 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 4·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 366 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 27 | 10 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 214 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 27 | 9 | 5 | .. | 4 | 9 | 9·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 374 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 16 | 5 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 10·5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 211 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 15 | 13 | 6 | 2 | .. | 4 | 4.5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | 69 | 46 | 57·9 | 0·77 | 33·1 | 192 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 21 | 14 | 12 | 5 | .. | 7 | 8·9 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 4 | 70 | 38 | 55·5 | 1·20 | 22·4 | 125 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 16 | 7 | 4 | .. | 7 | 11 | 13·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 462 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 15 | 7 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 9·7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 198 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 12 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 198 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 3rd Sept. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 990 | 443 | 542 | 99 | 66 | 509 | 10·2 | 21 | 13 | 4 | 25 | 8 | 3 | 2 | .. | 4 | 3 | 19 | 20 | 99 | 90 | 26 | 308 | 71† | 37‡ | 56·1‡ | 0·69‡ | 24·9‡ | |
| 27th Aug. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 968 | 415 | 587 | 106 | 77 | 558 | 11·2 | 27 | 16 | 4 | 26 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 13 | 19 | 119 | 96 | 28 | 363 | 81† | 45† | 60·2‡ | 2·16‡ | 28·0‡ | |
| 5th Sept. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 926 | 515 | 514 | 98 | 65 | 481 | 9·6 | 23 | 14 | 3 | 22 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 13 | 11 | 105 | 93 | 28 | 282 | 74† | 38† | 57·9‡ | 0·00‡ | 36·8‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 10th September 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 10th September 1960, the births of 953 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 600 marriages and 507 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 12.0 and the death-rate 10.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 24 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.7 less than in the previous week, but 1.0 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 3.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the average. The death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.5 in Hamilton to 4.8 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 10.6 and in Edinburgh 9.9.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 2, both of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 20, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.4 less than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 30, being 5 more than in the previous week. Of these, 25 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 326, and are 18 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 16, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 6th September 1960, was 15,854. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 56.1° being the same as that for the previous week, but 0.4° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.37 inch, and the mean sunshine 35.6 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 36 — Week ended Saturday, 10th September 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | ... | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth and Kinross C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 |

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| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 13 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 36 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Lanark C. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Coatbridge B. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Glasgow B. | 5 | 43 | .. | .. | .. | 111 | .. | 1 | 25 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 46 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | 9 | .. | 12 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 56 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 12 | 50 | .. | .. | .. | 125 | .. | 3 | 28 | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | 69 | 11 | .. | | 5 | 3 | 21 | .. | 25 | 6 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 98 |
| Grand Total for 10-9-60 | 16 | 51 | .. | .. | .. | 142 | .. | 4 | 30 | 1 | .. | .. | 25 | 4 | .. | .. | 81 | 11 | .. | .. | 5 | 3 | 35 | .. | 48 | 10 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 141 |
| " " 3-9-60 | 14 | 26 | .. | 5 | 2 | 163 | .. | 5 | 15 | 3 | .. | 1 | 47 | 3 | .. | 1 | 82 | 7 | .. | 2 | 4 | 7 | 35 | .. | 84 | 12 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 131 |
| " " 12-9-59 | 14 | 34 | .. | 1 | 1 | 181 | .. | 4 | 18 | 1 | .. | 1 | 22 | 4 | .. | .. | 83 | 13 | .. | 4 | 8 | 9 | 62 | .. | 58 | 17 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 176 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 36

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 10th SEPTEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 6th SEPTEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 6th Sept. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 377 | 255 | 226 | 27 | 19 | 218 | 10·6 | 13 | 14 | 2 | 18 | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 47 | 36 | 8 | 131 | 67 | 44 | 54·9 | 0·43 | 31·1 | 4570 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 158 | 128 | 104 | 20 | 5 | 89 | 9·9 | 2 | 4 | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 22 | 17 | 3 | 62 | 68 | 47 | 56·6 | 0·13 | 30·5 | 1148 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 59 | 41 | 50 | 12 | 1 | 39 | 10·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 12 | 1 | 34 | 66 | 42 | 54·1 | 0·03 | 44·0 | 506 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 64 | 34 | 35 | 10 | 5 | 30 | 8·6 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 7 | .. | 14 | 71 | 42 | 57·2 | 0·11 | n.a. | 702 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 38 | 12 | 22 | 3 | 1 | 20 | 10·8 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | 3 | .. | 14 | 68 | 46 | 57.6 | 0·57 | 36·9 | 527 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 34 | 16 | 19 | 3 | 2 | 18 | 12·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 66 | 46 | 56·6 | 0·96 | 37·5 | 464 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 40 | 18 | 9 | .. | 7 | 16 | 11·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 3 | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 521 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 6 | .. | 5 | 5·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 205 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 51 | 11 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 4·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 338 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 10 | 10 | 5 | .. | .. | 5 | 5·6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 226 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 13 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 7·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 359 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 13 | 11 | 12 | 3 | 4 | 13 | 15·2 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 265 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 20 | 12 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 8.0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 5 | 69 | 43 | 55·8 | 0·53 | 35·5 | 196 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 10·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 6 | 69 | 40 | 55·7 | 0·21 | 33·4 | 116 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 25 | 9 | 6 | .. | 8 | 14 | 17·5 | 3 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 517 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 13 | 13 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 5·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 232 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 16 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 9 | 14·0 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 220 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 10th Sept. 1960. | 2,614,800 | 953 | 600 | 540 | 100 | 67 | 507 | 10·1 | 23 | 25 | 2 | 30 | 4 | 6 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 10 | 10 | 102 | 94 | 16 | 326 | 71† | 40‡ | 56·1‡ | 0·37‡ | 35·6‡ | |
| 3rd Sept. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 990 | 443 | 542 | 99 | 66 | 509 | 10·2 | 21 | 13 | 4 | 25 | 8 | 3 | 2 | .. | 4 | 3 | 19 | 20 | 99 | 90 | 26 | 308 | 71† | 37† | 56·1‡ | 0·69‡ | 24·9‡ | |
| 12th Sept. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 938 | 616 | 501 | 112 | 41 | 430 | 8·6 | 20 | 11 | 2 | 17 | 3 | 4 | 1 | .. | 5 | 5 | 6 | 15 | 110 | 70 | 17 | 273 | 77† | 38† | 60·2‡ | 0·01‡ | 53·2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 37

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 17th September 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 17th September 1960, the births of 931 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 551 marriages and 536 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.6 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 11.0 and the death-rate 10.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 23 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.0 less than in the previous week, and 1.2 below the average. The death-rate is 0.6 more than in the previous week, and 1.0 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 14.1 in Ayr to 4.2 in Falkirk. In Glasgow the rate was 11.4 and in Edinburgh 10.4.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 4, of which 3 were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 more than in the previous week and respiratory 1 more.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 27, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 21, being 9 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 13 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 328, and are 2 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 31, and are 15 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 13th September 1960, was 16,668. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 55.5° being 0.6° below that for the previous week, but 1.9° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.29 inches, and the mean sunshine 21.5 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 37 — Week ended Saturday, 17th September 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | 9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 30 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 31 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | 11 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 23 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | . | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | . | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Lanark C. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | 14 | 37 | .. | 5 | 2 | 144 | .. | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 68 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 4 | 9 | .. | 23 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 71 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | . | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | . | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 19 | 47 | .. | 5 | 2 | 166 | .. | 6 | 7 | 3 | .. | .. | 12 | 1 | .. | .. | 90 | 4 | .. | | 5 | 5 | 19 | .. | 41 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 93 |
| Grand Total for 17-9-60 | 25 | 48 | .. | 5 | 2 | 190 | .. | 9 | 10 | 3 | .. | .. | 44 | 4 | .. | .. | 97 | 4 | .. | .. | 6 | 8 | 33 | .. | 65 | 8 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 122 |
| " " 10-9-60 | 16 | 51 | .. | .. | .. | 142 | .. | 4 | 30 | 1 | .. | .. | 25 | 4 | .. | .. | 81 | 11 | .. | .. | 5 | 3 | 35 | .. | 48 | 10 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 141 |
| " " 19-9-59 | 7 | 45 | .. | 5 | .. | 227 | .. | 10 | 32 | 2 | .. | .. | 8 | 6 | .. | 1 | 94 | 8 | .. | 3 | 9 | 6 | 84 | .. | 57 | 15 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 131 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 37

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 17th SEPTEMBER 1960
# RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 13th SEPTEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature * Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 13th Sept. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 424 | 233 | 244 | 36 | 27 | 235 | 11·4 | 12 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 11 | 7 | 41 | 35 | 8 | 161 | 65 | 41 | 54·4 | 1·52 | 19·6 | 4964 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 155 | 101 | 112 | 27 | 9 | 94 | 10·4 | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 27 | 21 | 10 | 53 | 67 | 46 | 56·0 | 0·59 | 22·8 | 1299 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 61 | 49 | 38 | 11 | 1 | 28 | 7·8 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 8 | 2 | 13 | 70 | 44 | 55·1 | 1·49 | 21·6 | 529 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 69 | 33 | 47 | 5 | 5 | 47 | 13·5 | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 13 | 10 | 7 | 30 | 70 | 45 | 57·1 | 0·51 | n.a. | 719 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 32 | 24 | 17 | 4 | 5 | 18 | 9 7 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | .. | 11 | 66 | 42 | 55.8 | 1·89 | 25·4 | 511 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 27 | 10 | 20 | 3 | 3 | 20 | 13·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 14 | 62 | 45 | 55·2 | 1·86 | 21·6 | 438 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 23 | 14 | 12 | 3 | 6 | 15 | 10·7 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 7 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 529 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 15 | 8 | 12 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 7·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 223 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 13 | 8 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 8·7 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 411 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 21 | 12 | 12 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 10·0 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 244 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 19 | 6 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 9 | 9·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 383 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 10 | 8 | 13 | 5 | 4 | 12 | 14·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 278 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 15 | 13 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 8.0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 4 | 66 | 42 | 55·9 | 1·65 | 19·2 | 173 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 15 | 10 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 8·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | 65 | 42 | 54·8 | 0·84 | 20·5 | 157 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 8 | 11 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 12·5 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 529 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 3 | .. | 3 | 4·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 187 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 15 | 4 | 3 | .. | 3 | 6 | 9·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 194 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 17th Sept. 1960. | 2,614,800 | 931 | 551 | 582 | 125 | 79 | 536 | 10·7 | 22 | 13 | 2 | 21 | 2 | 6 | 1 | .. | 4 | 3 | 16 | 11 | 114 | 99 | 31 | 328 | 70† | 41‡ | 55·5‡ | 1·29‡ | 21·5‡ | |
| 10th Sept. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 953 | 600 | 540 | 100 | 67 | 507 | 10·1 | 23 | 25 | 2 | 30 | 4 | 6 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 10 | 10 | 102 | 94 | 16 | 326 | 71† | 40† | 56·1‡ | 0·37‡ | 35·6‡ | |
| 19th Sept. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 895 | 551 | 511 | 102 | 54 | 463 | 9·3 | 24 | 11 | .. | 19 | 4 | 3 | .. | 1 | 9 | 8 | 14 | 12 | 102 | 81 | 21 | 280 | 65† | 35† | 53·6‡ | 0·00‡ | 20·3‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 38

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 24th September 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 24th September 1960, the births of 1,008 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 599 marriages and 508 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 12.0 and the death-rate 10.2. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 22 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.6 more than in the previous week, and 2.2 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.0 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the average. The death-rate is 0.5 less than in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.4 in Ayr to 4.7 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 11.0 and in Edinburgh 11.7.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

Deaths from all forms of tuberculosis numbered 2, both of which were from tuberculosis of the respiratory system. All forms are 2 fewer than in the previous week and respiratory 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 41, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.2 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 25, being 4 more than in the previous week. Of these, 17 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 320, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 27, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 20th September 1960, was 17,031. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 52.9° being 2.6° below that for the previous week, but 0.7° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.16 inch, and the mean sunshine 39.9 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 38 — Week ended Saturday, 24th September 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| East Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 45 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 45 | .. | .. | 1 | 9 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | 9 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 8 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 |
| Glasgow B. | 2 | 15 | .. | 4 | 1 | 75 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 53 | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | 1 | 8 | .. | 23 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 33 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Paisley B. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 2 | 36 | .. | 4 | 1 | 92 | .. | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | 63 | 7 | .. | 1 | 5 | 3 | 29 | .. | 44 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 92 |
| Grand Total for 24-9-60 | 6 | 38 | .. | 5 | 1 | 108 | .. | 5 | 26 | 1 | .. | .. | 59 | 3 | .. | 2 | 76 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 43 | .. | 61 | 23 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 115 |
| " " 17-9-60 | 25 | 48 | .. | 5 | 2 | 190 | .. | 9 | 10 | 3 | .. | .. | 44 | 4 | .. | .. | 97 | 4 | .. | .. | 6 | 8 | 33 | .. | 65 | 8 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 122 |
| " " 26-9-59 | 9 | 48 | .. | 6 | 1 | 195 | .. | 5 | 22 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | 5 | .. | 3 | 99 | 7 | .. | 2 | 4 | 3 | 80 | .. | 56 | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 79 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 38

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 24th SEPTEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 20th SEPTEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 20th Sept. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 411 | 255 | 237 | 21 | 11 | 227 | 11·0 | 13 | 10 | 2 | 17 | 2 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | 14 | 43 | 51 | 11 | 125 | 67 | 37 | 52·4 | 0·09 | 41·0 | 4927 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 140 | 117 | 108 | 12 | 9 | 105 | 11·7 | 1 | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 6 | 23 | 18 | 2 | 78 | 66 | 41 | 53·3 | 0·15 | 38·0 | 1156 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 62 | 45 | 38 | 11 | 2 | 29 | 8·1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 7 | 4 | .. | 22 | 62 | 40 | 52·3 | 0·56 | 27·6 | 548 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 64 | 32 | 23 | 6 | 5 | 22 | 6·3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 16 | 66 | 38 | 53·1 | 0·14 | n.a. | 755 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 54 | 16 | 21 | 11 | 5 | 15 | 8·1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 67 | 38 | 54.0 | 0·09 | 51·2 | 470 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 35 | 13 | 20 | 4 | 3 | 19 | 12·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 66 | 40 | 53·5 | 0·11 | 39·5 | 607 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 35 | 17 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 10 | 7·1 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 589 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 12 | 9 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 6·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 266 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 44 | 18 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 5·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 345 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 23 | 8 | 13 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 240 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 14 | 8 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 5·0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 390 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 13 | 16 | 17 | 4 | 1 | 14 | 16·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 247 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 27 | 7 | 13 | 5 | 3 | 11 | 12.5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 68 | 35 | 52·4 | 0·10 | 42·3 | 260 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 13 | 7 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 10·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 6 | 66 | 35 | 52·0 | 0·05 | 40·0 | 157 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 16 | 12 | 6 | .. | 2 | 8 | 10·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 587 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 15 | 9 | 15 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 13·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 259 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 30 | 10 | 2 | .. | 1 | 3 | 4·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 228 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 24th Sept. 1960. | 2,614,800 | 1008 | 599 | 547 | 98 | 59 | 508 | 10·2 | 23 | 17 | 2 | 25 | 3 | 3 | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | 15 | 26 | 108 | 96 | 27 | 320 | 68† | 35‡ | 52·9‡ | 0.16‡ | 39·9‡ | |
| 17th Sept. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 931 | 551 | 582 | 125 | 79 | 536 | 10·7 | 22 | 13 | 2 | 21 | 2 | 6 | 1 | .. | 4 | 3 | 16 | 11 | 114 | 99 | 31 | 328 | 70† | 41† | 55·5‡ | 1·29‡ | 21·5‡ | |
| 26th Sept. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 887 | 618 | 562 | 115 | 76 | 523 | 10·5 | 16 | 22 | .. | 33 | 5 | 9 | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | 14 | 19 | 123 | 83 | 27 | 301 | 68† | 41† | 55·1‡ | 0·74‡ | 24.2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 39

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 1st October 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 1st October 1960, the births of 1,035 living children, and of 18 stillborn children, 645 marriages and 576 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 12.9 and the death-rate 11.5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 17 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 more than in the previous week, and 2.2 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.9 more than in the previous week, but 0.2 below the average. The death-rate is 1.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.5 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.7 in Dunfermline to 6.0 in Greenock. In Glasgow the rate was 11.1 and in Edinburgh 12.3.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

There were 3 deaths from tuberculosis of the respiratory system—1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 41, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 21, being 4 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 9 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 372, and are 52 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 28, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 27th September 1960, was 16,453. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 50.8° being 2.1° below that for the previous week, and 1.7° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.28 inch, and the mean sunshine 31.0 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 39 — Week ended Saturday, 1st October 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| **Northern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **North-Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Orkney C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| **Eastern Region—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 47 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 19 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 47 | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 14 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 22 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 11 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Glasgow B. | 4 | 38 | .. | 3 | .. | 142 | .. | 1 | 14 | .. | .. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | 67 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 9 | .. | 15 | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 27 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Greenock B. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 4 | 55 | .. | 3 | .. | 168 | .. | 1 | 14 | 1 | .. | 1 | 12 | .. | .. | 2 | 89 | 7 | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 28 | .. | 28 | 4 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 65 |
| Grand Total for 1-10-60 | 7 | 57 | .. | 3 | .. | 185 | .. | 2 | 20 | 3 | .. | 1 | 59 | 1 | .. | 3 | 103 | 8 | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 45 | .. | 50 | 11 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | 101 |
| " " 24-9-60 | 6 | 38 | .. | 5 | 1 | 108 | .. | 5 | 26 | 1 | .. | .. | 59 | 3 | .. | 2 | 76 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 43 | .. | 61 | 23 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 115 |
| " " 3-10-59 | 21 | 63 | .. | 4 | .. | 305 | .. | 8 | 30 | 2 | .. | .. | 12 | 7 | .. | .. | 123 | 8 | .. | .. | 8 | 13 | 109 | .. | 56 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 92 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 39

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 1st OCTOBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 27th SEPTEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 27th Sept. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 471 | 251 | 232 | 20 | 17 | 229 | 11·1 | 12 | 4 | .. | 7 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 7 | 12 | 41 | 41 | 10 | 150 | 62 | 37 | 49·9 | 0·09 | 35·6 | 4067 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 166 | 129 | 124 | 18 | 5 | 111 | 12·3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 28 | 15 | 5 | 76 | 59 | 43 | 50·4 | 0·22 | 24·4 | 1400 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 63 | 53 | 46 | 16 | 4 | 34 | 9·5 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 6 | 11 | 3 | 20 | 57 | 39 | 49·4 | 0·37 | 22·5 | 491 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 74 | 38 | 46 | 7 | 7 | 46 | 13·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 30 | 64 | 42 | 51·9 | 0·80 | n.a. | 726 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 52 | 17 | 29 | 4 | 1 | 26 | 14·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 64 | 39 | 51.6 | 0·04 | 38·0 | 559 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 26 | 22 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 6·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 6 | 60 | 41 | 51·5 | 0·10 | 36·6 | 553 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 30 | 16 | 12 | 3 | 4 | 13 | 9·3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 622 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 17 | 14 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 12·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 270 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 13 | 15 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 9 | 8·7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 298 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 14 | 11 | 17 | 5 | 3 | 15 | 16·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 245 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 22 | 8 | 11 | .. | 1 | 12 | 12·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 308 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 19 | 17 | 15 | 3 | 2 | 14 | 16·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 307 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 17 | 13 | 13 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 10.2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 6 | 61 | 42 | 50·9 | 0·02 | 37·0 | 273 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 13 | 11 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 11·4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 2 | .. | 6 | 64 | 39 | 50·5 | 0·62 | 22·9 | 143 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 14 | 12 | 7 | .. | 4 | 11 | 13·7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 4 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 550 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 13 | 9 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 15·3 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 251 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 11 | 9 | 1 | .. | 4 | 5 | 7·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 187 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 1st Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1035 | 645 | 605 | 93 | 64 | 576 | 11·5 | 18 | 9 | 1 | 21 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 16 | 25 | 117 | 95 | 28 | 372 | 64† | 37‡ | 50·8‡ | 0.28‡ | 31·0‡ | |
| 24th Sept. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1008 | 599 | 547 | 98 | 59 | 508 | 10·2 | 23 | 17 | 2 | 25 | 3 | 3 | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | 15 | 26 | 108 | 96 | 27 | 320 | 68† | 35† | 52·9‡ | 0·16‡ | 39·9‡ | |
| 3rd Oct. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1075 | 691 | 550 | 104 | 56 | 502 | 10·0 | 25 | 6 | 1 | 17 | 2 | 5 | 1 | .. | 4 | 2 | 23 | 15 | 89 | 92 | 21 | 313 | 76† | 40† | 57·2‡ | 0·06‡ | 27.2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 8th October 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 8th October 1960, the births of 1,136 living children, and of 23 stillborn children, 688 marriages and 530 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 22.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 13.8 and the death-rate 10.6. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 20 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 2.0 more than in the previous week, and 2.5 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.9 more than in the previous week, and 1.8 above the average. The death-rate is 0.9 less than in the previous week, and 0.9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.0 in Greenock to 3.1 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 9.8 and in Edinburgh 10.7.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases. It was due to influenza.

There were 87 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis, and 122 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 42, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 37, being 16 more than in the previous week. Of these, 22 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 325, and are 47 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 21, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 4th October 1960, was 18,588. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 52.6° being 1.8° above that for the previous week, and 1.3° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.20 inches, and the mean sunshine 10.3 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 40 — Week ended Saturday, 8th October 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 12 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | * | .. | * | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 53 | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 45 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 56 | .. | .. | 1 | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | 9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 55 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | . | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 1 | 14 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 4 | 30 | .. | 2 | .. | 80 | .. | 2 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | 57 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 13 | .. | 16 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 30 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 21 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 7 | 65 | .. | 2 | .. | 126 | .. | 2 | 22 | 5 | .. | .. | 14 | 2 | .. | 2 | 83 | 5 | .. | 1 | 4 | 3 | 30 | .. | 44 | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 43 |
| Grand Total for 8-10-60 | .. | 10 | 70 | .. | 2 | .. | 148 | .. | 4 | 26 | 5 | .. | .. | 71 | 3 | .. | 3 | 104 | 6 | .. | 1 | 4 | 4 | 54 | .. | 63 | 7 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 113 |
| " " 1-10-60 | .. | 7 | 57 | .. | 3 | .. | 185 | .. | 2 | 20 | 3 | .. | 1 | 59 | 1 | .. | 3 | 103 | 8 | . | .. | 3 | 6 | 45 | .. | 50 | 11 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | 101 |
| " " 10-10-59 | .. | 6 | 103 | .. | 4 | 2 | 236 | .. | 13 | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 16 | 10 | .. | 3 | 129 | 15 | .. | 2 | 2 | 6 | 127 | .. | 53 | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 90 |

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# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 8th OCTOBER 1960
## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 4th OCTOBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 4th Oct. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 479 | 242 | 212 | 25 | 15 | 202 | 9·8 | 5 | 7 | .. | 14 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 13 | 48 | 27 | 8 | 117 | 60 | 46 | 52·4 | 1·22 | 10·0 | 5364 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 158 | 125 | 107 | 15 | 4 | 96 | 10·7 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 24 | 15 | 4 | 56 | 62 | 46 | 53·0 | 0·41 | 15·5 | 1496 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 82 | 32 | 53 | 13 | 2 | 42 | 11·8 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 11 | 13 | .. | 29 | 56 | 42 | 50·6 | 2·18 | 5·1 | 692 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 78 | 75 | 45 | 9 | 3 | 39 | 11·2 | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 10 | 8 | 1 | 25 | 60 | 43 | 53·3 | 1·20 | n.a. | 689 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 42 | 26 | 21 | 5 | 2 | 18 | 9·7 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 1 | .. | 14 | 63 | 48 | 54.3 | 1·30 | 10·2 | 519 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 37 | 15 | 22 | 2 | 4 | 24 | 16·0 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 2 | 16 | 60 | 49 | 53·6 | 1·43 | 6·8 | 492 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 37 | 14 | 12 | 3 | 7 | 16 | 11·4 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 714 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 16 | 15 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 11 | 10·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 259 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 54 | 9 | 16 | 6 | 4 | 14 | 13·5 | 5 | 4 | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 373 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 21 | 10 | 16 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 13·4 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 320 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 23 | 7 | 6 | .. | 6 | 12 | 12·1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 388 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 6 | 11 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 5·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 335 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 26 | 15 | 16 | 7 | 5 | 14 | 15·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 62 | 37 | 51·0 | 0·74 | 14·0 | 244 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 9 | 9 | 6 | 1 | .. | 5 | 6·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 61 | 43 | 52·6 | 1.12 | 10·8 | 180 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 32 | 15 | 3 | .. | 4 | 7 | 8·7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 664 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 14 | 12 | 14 | 3 | .. | 11 | 15·3 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 269 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 22 | 6 | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | 3·1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 235 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 8th Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1136 | 688 | 565 | 101 | 66 | 530 | 10·6 | 23 | 22 | 2 | 37 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 15 | 27 | 122 | 87 | 21 | 325 | 63† | 37‡ | 52·6‡ | 1.20‡ | 10·3‡ | |
| 1st Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1035 | 645 | 605 | 93 | 64 | 576 | 11·5 | 18 | 9 | 1 | 21 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 16 | 25 | 117 | 95 | 28 | 372 | 64† | 37† | 50·8‡ | 0·28‡ | 31·0‡ | |
| 10th Oct. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 997 | 676 | 559 | 88 | 63 | 534 | 10·7 | 24 | 18 | .. | 27 | 2 | 10 | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 23 | 20 | 109 | 95 | 27 | 289 | 74† | 41† | 56·6‡ | 0·00‡ | 29.0‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 15th October 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 15th October 1960, the births of 1,005 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 536 marriages and 533 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 10.7 and the death-rate 10.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 2.6 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 3.1 less than in the previous week, but 1.1 above the average. The death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 1.2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.0 in Falkirk to 5.8 in Coatbridge. In Glasgow the rate was 10.6 and in Edinburgh 11.9.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

There were 107 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis, and 111 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 40, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 27, being 10 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 15 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 328, and are 3 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 21, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 11th October 1960, was 18,551. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 47.2° being 5.4° below that for the previous week, and 1.8° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.18 inch, and the mean sunshine 25.9 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 41 — Week ended Saturday, 15th October 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 13 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 2 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 38 | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | ... | .. | 7 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 11 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 2 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 39 | .. | .. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 12 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 15 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | . | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | 20 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 6 | 48 | .. | 2 | .. | 144 | .. | 2 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 81 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 22 | .. | 24 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 43 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 6 | 79 | .. | 2 | .. | 175 | .. | 5 | 14 | 1 | .. | .. | 16 | .. | .. | 1 | 107 | 8 | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 44 | .. | 45 | 11 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 66 |
| Grand Total for 15-10-60 | .. | 7 | 82 | .. | 2 | .. | 204 | .. | 8 | 24 | 2 | .. | .. | 59 | 4 | .. | 2 | 127 | 8 | .. | .. | 3 | 6 | 74 | .. | 72 | 16 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 91 |
| " " 8-10-60 | .. | 10 | 70 | .. | 2 | .. | 148 | .. | 4 | 26 | 5 | .. | .. | 71 | 3 | .. | 3 | 104 | 6 | | 1 | 4 | 4 | 54 | .. | 63 | 7 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 113 |
| " " 17-10-59 | .. | 9 | 114 | .. | 1 | 4 | 265 | .. | 4 | 15 | 1 | .. | .. | 17 | 3 | .. | 1 | 111 | 7 | .. | 2 | 11 | 4 | 123 | .. | 60 | 12 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 100 |

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No. 41

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 15th OCTOBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 11th OCTOBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature * Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 11th Oct. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 441 | 244 | 233 | 31 | 16 | 218 | 10·6 | 9 | 6 | 2 | 14 | 1 | 3 | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | 9 | 8 | 41 | 40 | 8 | 134 | 56 | 33 | 46·8 | 0·00 | 29·7 | 5313 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 166 | 86 | 124 | 23 | 6 | 107 | 11.9 | 4 | 5 | .. | 6 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 3 | 24 | 25 | 6 | 67 | 56 | 36 | 46·7 | 0·33 | 14·1 | 1441 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 58 | 36 | 54 | 16 | 1 | 39 | 10·9 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 8 | 10 | .. | 23 | 52 | 37 | 45·8 | 0·93 | 11·1 | 657 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 93 | 32 | 38 | 8 | 2 | 32 | 9·2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 24 | 57 | 35 | 47·9 | 0·15 | n.a. | 840 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 35 | 15 | 25 | 5 | 3 | 23 | 12·4 | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 14 | 59 | 36 | 48.8 | .. | 31·3 | 512 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 26 | 16 | 20 | 4 | .. | 16 | 10·7 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 58 | 38 | 48·4 | .. | 36·2 | 493 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 16 | 15 | 10 | 1 | 5 | 14 | 10·0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 662 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 10 | 14 | 12 | 4 | .. | 8 | 7·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 272 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 15 | 12 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 5·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 401 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 26 | 9 | 14 | 8 | .. | 6 | 6·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 261 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 29 | 5 | 6 | .. | 4 | 10 | 10·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 405 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 21 | 10 | 10 | 2 | 3 | 11 | 12·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 278 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 22 | 8 | 12 | 8 | 2 | 6 | 6·8 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 1 | 59 | 29 | 44·8 | .. | 37·5 | 297 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 14 | 13 | 16 | 5 | 2 | 13 | 16·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | 10 | 59 | 35 | 48·1 | 0.01 | 21·2 | 153 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 17 | 8 | 4 | .. | 2 | 6 | 7·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 599 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 7 | 11 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 13 | 18·0 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 4 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 279 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 9 | 2 | 2 | .. | 3 | 5 | 7·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 273 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 15th Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1005 | 536 | 600 | 121 | 54 | 533 | 10·7 | 22 | 15 | 2 | 27 | 3 | 7 | 1 | .. | 4 | 4 | 22 | 18 | 111 | 107 | 21 | 328 | 59† | 29‡ | 47·2‡ | 0.18‡ | 25·9‡ | |
| 8th Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1136 | 688 | 565 | 101 | 66 | 530 | 10.6 | 23 | 22 | 2 | 37 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 15 | 27 | 122 | 87 | 21 | 325 | 63† | 37† | 52·6‡ | 1·20‡ | 10·3‡ | |
| 17th Oct. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 1012 | 457 | 532 | 96 | 64 | 500 | 10·0 | 26 | 14 | 4 | 27 | 2 | 6 | .. | 1 | 5 | 3 | 17 | 8 | 116 | 93 | 20 | 322 | 64† | 43† | 54·8‡ | 1.28‡ | 16.3‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 42

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 22nd October 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 22nd October 1960, the births of 1,033 living children, and of 22 stillborn children, 479 marriages and 554 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 9.6 and the death-rate 11.1. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.6 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 1.1 less than in the previous week, but 2.1 above the average. The death-rate is 0.4 more than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.7 in Ayr to 3.0 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 11.1 and in Edinburgh 11.0.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

There were 106 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 111 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 36, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 14, being 13 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 11 were aged 0-6 days and none was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 374, and are 46 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 29, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 18th October 1960, was 18,416. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 48.4° being 1.2° above that for the previous week, and 0.7° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.21 inches, and the mean sunshine 5.4 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 42 — Week ended Saturday, 22nd October 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 6 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 7 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 8 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 3 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 3 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |

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| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 1 | 23 | .. | .. | 1 | 68 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 11 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | 1 | 23 | .. | .. | 1 | 71 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 16 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 26 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 1 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 6 | 52 | .. | 1 | .. | 117 | .. | 4 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | 85 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 11 | .. | 25 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 7 | 76 | .. | 1 | 1 | 145 | .. | 6 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | 111 | 13 | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 26 | .. | 51 | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 40 |
| Grand Total for 22-10-60 | .. | 10 | 87 | .. | 1 | 1 | 171 | .. | 9 | 33 | .. | .. | 1 | 80 | 3 | .. | 1 | 129 | 14 | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 55 | .. | 83 | 10 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 77 |
| ,, ,, 15-10-60 | .. | 7 | 82 | .. | 2 | .. | 204 | .. | 8 | 24 | 2 | .. | .. | 59 | 4 | .. | 2 | 127 | 8 | | .. | 3 | 6 | 74 | .. | 72 | 16 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 91 |
| ,, ,, 24-10-59 | .. | 10 | 144 | .. | 5 | 2 | 254 | .. | 8 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 28 | 4 | .. | 2 | 132 | 7 | .. | .. | 2 | 11 | 134 | .. | 54 | 13 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | 115 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 42

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 22nd OCTOBER 1960
# RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 18th OCTOBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 18th Oct. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 443 | 183 | 248 | 36 | 17 | 229 | 11·1 | 11 | 7 | .. | 8 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 9 | 11 | 49 | 42 | 12 | 148 | 55 | 37 | 47·2 | 1·29 | 6·0 | 5010 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 156 | 92 | 118 | 24 | 5 | 99 | 11.0 | 5 | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 21 | 21 | 3 | 69 | 53 | 40 | 48·6 | 0·71 | 5·1 | 1515 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 60 | 42 | 47 | 15 | 2 | 34 | 9·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 8 | 11 | .. | 30 | 52 | 39 | 47·8 | 1·73 | 9·2 | 749 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 64 | 3 | 42 | 5 | 4 | 41 | 11·8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 4 | 32 | 55 | 40 | 49·3 | 1·38 | n.a. | 839 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 38 | 18 | 28 | 9 | 6 | 25 | 13·5 | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 15 | 56 | 36 | 48.5 | 1·27 | 5·1 | 575 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 27 | 11 | 17 | 3 | .. | 14 | 9·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 52 | 41 | 48·6 | 1·25 | 5.1 | 452 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 28 | 12 | 15 | 2 | 7 | 20 | 14·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 654 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 21 | 11 | 10 | 4 | 3 | 9 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 271 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 37 | 10 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 11 | 10·6 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 350 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 14 | 10 | 17 | 8 | 2 | 11 | 12·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 308 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 19 | 11 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 392 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 19 | 8 | 20 | 6 | 2 | 16 | 18·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 5 | 2 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 252 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 17 | 8 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 13 | 14·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 9 | 56 | 33 | 49·2 | 0 73 | n.a. | 280 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 20 | 8 | 13 | 5 | .. | 8 | 10·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 3 | 4 | 54 | 37 | 47·9 | 1.29 | 2·0 | 213 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 37 | 11 | 4 | .. | 4 | 8 | 10·0 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 594 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 22 | 8 | 9 | 4 | .. | 5 | 6·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 292 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 11 | 4 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 12·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 227 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 22nd Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1033 | 479 | 623 | 130 | 61 | 554 | 11·1 | 22 | 11 | .. | 14 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 15 | 21 | 111 | 106 | 29 | 374 | 56† | 33† | 48·4‡ | 1.21‡ | 5·4‡ | |
| 15th Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1005 | 536 | 600 | 121 | 54 | 533 | 10.7 | 22 | 15 | 2 | 27 | 3 | 7 | 1 | .. | 4 | 4 | 22 | 18 | 111 | 107 | 21 | 328 | 59† | 29† | 47·2‡ | 0·18‡ | 25·9‡ | |
| 24th Oct. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 959 | 428 | 567 | 110 | 66 | 523 | 10·5 | 28 | 19 | 3 | 28 | 10 | 5 | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | 18 | 21 | 109 | 99 | 26 | 331 | 63† | 41† | 51·3‡ | 1·36‡ | 22·7‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 29th October 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 29th October 1960, the births of 944 living children, and of 21 stillborn children, 483 marriages and 552 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.9 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 9.7 and the death-rate 11.0. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 22 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.8 less than in the previous week, and 0.1 below the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 1.9 above the average. The death-rate is 0.1 less than in the previous week, and 0.1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.2 in Hamilton to 3.1 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 10.9 and in Edinburgh 11.8.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases—due to influenza.

There were 100 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 99 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 38, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but the same as the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 30, being 16 more than in the previous week. Of these, 21 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 336, and are 38 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 28, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 25th October 1960, was 19,606. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 49.4° being 1.0° above that for the previous week, and 3.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.42 inches, and the mean sunshine 1.4 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 43 — Week ended Saturday, 29th October 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 21 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | 1 | 86 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 34 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | 1 | 88 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 14 | .. | 15 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 36 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 2 | 64 | .. | 4 | .. | 107 | .. | 3 | 25 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 2 | 67 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 3 | 18 | .. | 29 | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 23 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 2 | 89 | .. | 4 | .. | 131 | .. | 5 | 30 | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | 2 | 94 | 6 | .. | .. | 5 | 4 | 31 | .. | 48 | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 36 |
| Grand Total for 29-10-60 | .. | 5 | 93 | .. | 4 | .. | 170 | .. | 6 | 37 | 1 | .. | 1 | 98 | 1 | .. | 3 | 113 | 6 | .. | .. | 5 | 5 | 56 | .. | 80 | 15 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 98 |
| " " 22-10-60 | .. | 10 | 87 | .. | 1 | 1 | 171 | .. | 9 | 33 | .. | .. | 1 | 80 | 3 | .. | 1 | 129 | 14 | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 55 | .. | 83 | 10 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 77 |
| " " 31-10-59 | .. | 11 | 108 | .. | 2 | 3 | 208 | .. | 10 | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | 23 | 4 | .. | 4 | 112 | 12 | .. | .. | 5 | 5 | 125 | .. | 73 | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 136 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

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# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 29th OCTOBER 1960
## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 25th OCTOBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 25th Oct. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 434 | 210 | 242 | 39 | 22 | 225 | 10·9 | 8 | 9 | .. | 11 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 32 | 43 | 12 | 138 | 54 | 44 | 48·8 | 0·20 | 1·9 | 5333 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 139 | 81 | 111 | 12 | 7 | 106 | 11.8 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 20 | 20 | 4 | 68 | 55 | 46 | 49·2 | 1·25 | 4·6 | 1683 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 70 | 32 | 44 | 10 | 1 | 35 | 9·8 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 16 | 52 | 43 | 48·0 | 3·91 | 0·0 | 699 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 62 | 35 | 49 | 9 | 3 | 43 | 12·4 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | 14 | 9 | 3 | 26 | 54 | 45 | 49·8 | 2·94 | n.a. | 814 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 29 | 14 | 22 | 4 | 2 | 20 | 10.8 | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 3 | 2 | .. | 12 | 55 | 45 | 49.9 | 0·10 | 1·3 | 562 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 34 | 13 | 24 | 2 | .. | 22 | 14·7 | .. | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | 16 | 54 | 45 | 50·3 | 0·11 | 0·8 | 502 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 36 | 11 | 8 | 1 | 6 | 13 | 9·3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 2 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 694 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 14 | 12 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 8·9 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 271 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 18 | 3 | 14 | 4 | 4 | 14 | 13·5 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 403 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 13 | 9 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 14·5 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 290 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 17 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 4·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 408 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 20 | 11 | 5 | 2 | .. | 3 | 3·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 377 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 15 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 5 | 11 | 12·5 | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 5 | 57 | 42 | 50·3 | 0 06 | n.a. | 272 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 9 | 11 | 10 | .. | .. | 10 | 12·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 4 | .. | 9 | 54 | 44 | 49·1 | 2.81 | .. | 200 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 15 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 8 | 13 | 16·2 | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 633 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 7 | 12 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 12·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 272 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 12 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 263 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 29th Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 944 | 483 | 584 | 99 | 67 | 552 | 11·0 | 21 | 21 | 2 | 30 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 17 | 21 | 99 | 100 | 28 | 336 | 57† | 42† | 49·4‡ | 1.42‡ | 1·4‡ | |
| 22nd Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1033 | 479 | 623 | 130 | 61 | 554 | 11.1 | 22 | 11 | .. | 14 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 15 | 21 | 111 | 106 | 29 | 374 | 56† | 33† | 48.4‡ | 1·21‡ | 5·4‡ | |
| 31st Oct. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 957 | 425 | 560 | 96 | 63 | 527 | 10·5 | 26 | 19 | 3 | 30 | 4 | 3 | 2 | .. | 5 | 3 | 9 | 21 | 112 | 97 | 32 | 292 | 60† | 31† | 45·6‡ | 1·47‡ | 21·9‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 5th November 1960

In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 5th November 1960, the births of 1,003 living children, and of 16 stillborn children, 491 marriages and 583 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 9.8 and the death-rate 11.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 16 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.2 more than in the previous week, and 1.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 1.2 above the average. The death-rate is 0.7 more than in the previous week, and 0.5 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 19.4 in Falkirk to 5.1 in Perth. In Glasgow the rate was 10.9 and in Edinburgh 13.2.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases—both were due to influenza.

There were 104 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 111 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 48, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, and 0.2 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 27, being 3 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 13 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 361, and are 25 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 28, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 1st November 1960, was 19,251. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 45.7° being 3.7° below that for the previous week, but 0.6° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.52 inches, and the mean sunshine 11.3 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 44 — Week ended Saturday, 5th November 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | 1 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | 1 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 3 | | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |

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| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 75 | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 26 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 77 | 1 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 15 | .. | 16 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 7 | 67 | .. | 2 | 3 | 101 | .. | 1 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 1 | 78 | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | 8 | .. | 19 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 29 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Total | .. | 8 | 83 | .. | 2 | 3 | 124 | .. | 6 | 15 | 1 | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 1 | 107 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 6 | .. | 36 | .. | 45 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 57 |
| Grand Total for 5-11-60 | .. | 9 | 91 | .. | 2 | 3 | 166 | .. | 10 | 15 | 1 | .. | .. | 96 | 2 | .. | 2 | 130 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 67 | .. | 68 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 86 |
| " " 29-10-60 | .. | 5 | 93 | .. | 4 | .. | 170 | .. | 6 | 37 | 1 | .. | 1 | 98 | 1 | .. | 3 | 113 | 6 | | .. | 5 | 5 | 56 | .. | 80 | 15 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 98 |
| " " 7-11-59 | .. | 6 | 105 | .. | 3 | 5 | 193 | .. | 3 | 16 | 1 | .. | .. | 15 | 6 | .. | 3 | 101 | 7 | .. | .. | 3 | 10 | 147 | .. | 54 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 130 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 44

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 5th NOVEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 1st NOVEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 1st Nov. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 415 | 229 | 234 | 32 | 23 | 225 | 10·9 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 12 | 3 | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 10 | 53 | 38 | 10 | 124 | 53 | 35 | 44·5 | 1·27 | 10·7 | 5416 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 153 | 75 | 128 | 17 | 8 | 119 | 13·2 | 2 | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | 19 | 27 | 6 | 81 | 51 | 37 | 45·1 | 0·80 | 8·8 | 1643 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 58 | 46 | 67 | 21 | 3 | 49 | 13·7 | 1 | 2 | .. | 3 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 5 | 8 | .. | 28 | 52 | 39 | 45·1 | 3·06 | 12·6 | 709 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 86 | 34 | 45 | 6 | 4 | 43 | 12·4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 31 | 52 | 37 | 45·8 | 1·45 | n.a. | 837 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 30 | 16 | 17 | 2 | .. | 15 | 8.1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | 12 | 54 | 38 | 46.5 | 1·49 | 10·4 | 551 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 26 | 8 | 21 | 4 | 2 | 19 | 12·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 52 | 38 | 46·4 | 1·46 | 8·4 | 481 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 33 | 13 | 13 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 10·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 5 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 689 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 19 | 5 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 8·9 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 260 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 28 | 7 | 9 | 3 | 5 | 11 | 10·6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 366 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 13 | 9 | 21 | 8 | 2 | 15 | 16·7 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 2 | 1 | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 261 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 28 | 8 | 12 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 12·1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 424 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 23 | 7 | 13 | 3 | 3 | 13 | 15·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 309 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 20 | 6 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 9·1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 55 | 33 | 46·1 | 1·28 | 13·2 | 265 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 14 | 11 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 5·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 4 | 53 | 35 | 45·8 | 1·36 | 15·1 | 185 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 25 | 9 | 5 | .. | 3 | 8 | 10·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 622 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 18 | 5 | 19 | 5 | .. | 14 | 19·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 5 | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 296 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 14 | 3 | 1 | .. | 4 | 5 | 7·8 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 221 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 5th Nov. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1003 | 491 | 634 | 123 | 72 | 583 | 11·7 | 16 | 13 | 3 | 27 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 23 | 25 | 111 | 104 | 28 | 361 | 55† | 33† | 45·7‡ | 1·52‡ | 11.3‡ | |
| 29th Oct. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 944 | 483 | 584 | 99 | 67 | 552 | 11.0 | 21 | 21 | 2 | 30 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 17 | 21 | 99 | 100 | 28 | 336 | 57† | 42† | 49.4‡ | 1·42‡ | 1·4‡ | |
| 7th Nov. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 897 | 427 | 593 | 118 | 65 | 540 | 10·8 | 22 | 15 | 4 | 28 | 2 | 9 | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 19 | 21 | 115 | 97 | 24 | 323 | 58† | 34† | 46·3‡ | 0·35‡ | 18·2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 12th November 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 12th November 1960, the births of 961 living children, and of 20 stillborn children, 249 marriages and 569 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.2 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.0 and the death-rate 11.4. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 20 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.9 less than in the previous week, but 1.5 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 4.8 less than in the previous week, and 1.4 below the average. The death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 16.1 in Clydebank to 5.0 in Hamilton. In Glasgow the rate was 12.1 and in Edinburgh 11.0.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

There were 105 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 113 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 34, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.2 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 37, being 10 more than in the previous week. Of these, 25 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 340, and are 21 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 20, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 8th November 1960, was 19,699. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 40.8° being 4.9° below that for the previous week, and 1.7° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.90 inch, and the mean sunshine 15.4 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 45 — Week ended Saturday, 12th November 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 23 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 23 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 92 | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 97 | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 13 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 5 | 113 | .. | 4 | 2 | 122 | .. | 2 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | 2 | 67 | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 4 | 19 | .. | 27 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 40 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 5 | 133 | .. | 4 | 2 | 142 | .. | 6 | 10 | 2 | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | 2 | 100 | 6 | .. | 1 | 3 | 8 | 41 | .. | 44 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 52 |
| Grand Total for 12-11-60 | .. | 5 | 153 | .. | 4 | 2 | 164 | .. | 10 | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | 116 | 3 | .. | 5 | 130 | 6 | .. | 1 | 3 | 9 | 67 | .. | 69 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 83 |
| " " 5-11-60 | .. | 9 | 91 | .. | 2 | 3 | 166 | .. | 10 | 15 | 1 | .. | .. | 96 | 2 | .. | 2 | 130 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 67 | .. | 68 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 86 |
| " " 14-11-59 | .. | 5 | 175 | .. | 1 | 2 | 238 | .. | 7 | 14 | 1 | .. | 1 | 12 | 16 | .. | 2 | 132 | 17 | .. | .. | 3 | 18 | 156 | .. | 77 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 136 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 45

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 12th NOVEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 8th NOVEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 8th Nov. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 416 | 106 | 265 | 37 | 20 | 248 | 12·1 | 9 | 13 | 2 | 20 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 6 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 52 | 40 | 12 | 148 | 50 | 26 | 39·3 | 0·70 | 14·8 | 5485 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 174 | 50 | 117 | 21 | 3 | 99 | 11.0 | 3 | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 5 | 23 | 21 | 1 | 67 | 49 | 33 | 40·8 | 0·16 | 10·8 | 1644 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 55 | 23 | 52 | 13 | 1 | 40 | 11·2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 9 | 8 | 1 | 28 | 50 | 30 | 41·4 | 1·69 | 10·9 | 648 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 70 | 14 | 48 | 7 | 6 | 47 | 13·5 | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 6 | 10 | 1 | 25 | 51 | 29 | 40·0 | 0·62 | n.a. | 745 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 28 | 10 | 27 | 8 | 1 | 20 | 10·8 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 7 | 2 | 6 | 51 | 28 | 41·3 | 0·75 | 18·7 | 532 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 23 | 5 | 18 | 2 | .. | 16 | 10·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | 11 | 52 | 32 | 41·7 | 2·06 | 19·5 | 535 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 24 | 5 | 9 | 3 | 7 | 13 | 9·3 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 765 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 16 | 4 | 16 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 11·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 317 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 18 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 7 | 11 | 10·6 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 361 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 23 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 10·9 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 309 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 19 | 6 | 12 | 5 | 9 | 16 | 16·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 4 | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 454 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 17 | 3 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 7·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 339 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 18 | 1 | 12 | 4 | 2 | 10 | 11·4 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 55 | 28 | 42·4 | 0·56 | 21·5 | 304 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 15 | 3 | 5 | .. | 3 | 8 | 10·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 6 | 50 | 24 | 39·3 | 0·67 | 11·5 | 193 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 12 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 5·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 624 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 15 | 4 | 12 | 6 | .. | 6 | 8·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 280 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 18 | 4 | 1 | .. | 3 | 4 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 257 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 12th Nov. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 961 | 249 | 622 | 121 | 68 | 569 | 11·4 | 20 | 25 | 2 | 37 | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | 6 | 5 | 15 | 19 | 113 | 105 | 20 | 340 | 55† | 24† | 40·8‡ | 0·90‡ | 15.4‡ | |
| 5th Nov. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1003 | 491 | 634 | 123 | 72 | 583 | 11·7 | 16 | 13 | 3 | 27 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 23 | 25 | 111 | 104 | 28 | 361 | 55† | 33† | 45·7‡ | 1·52‡ | 11·3‡ | |
| 14th Nov. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 835 | 254 | 610 | 105 | 56 | 561 | 11·2 | 27 | 13 | 3 | 19 | 1 | 3 | 3 | .. | 7 | 6 | 14 | 22 | 113 | 101 | 24 | 330 | 51† | 22† | 39·0‡ | 1·69‡ | 14·2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 46

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 19th November 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 19th November 1960, the births of 907 living children, and of 20 stillborn children, 236 marriages and 617 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.1 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.7 and the death-rate 12.3. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 22 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 1.1 less than in the previous week, but 0.6 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.3 less than in the previous week, and 0.5 below the average. The death-rate is 0.9 more than in the previous week, and 0.8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 15.2 in Perth to 5.0 in Hamilton. In Glasgow the rate was 12.6 and in Edinburgh 13.7.

There was 1 death from the principal epidemic diseases—it was due to influenza.

There were 111 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 112 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 42, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 0.1 below the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 15, being 22 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 7 were aged 0-6 days and 1 was aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 399, and are 59 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 32, and are 12 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 15th November 1960, was 20,706. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 42.0° being 1.2° above that for the previous week, and 0.4° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.75 inch, and the mean sunshine 19.1 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 46 — Week ended Saturday, 19th November 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 16 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 128 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 20 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 140 | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 10 | .. | 17 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 26 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 21 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 4 | 61 | .. | 1 | .. | 102 | .. | 4 | 34 | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | 1 | 66 | .. | .. | .. | 8 | 1 | 11 | .. | 25 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 49 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 25 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 5 | 92 | .. | 1 | .. | 121 | .. | 5 | 34 | 2 | .. | .. | 19 | 1 | .. | 1 | 113 | 4 | .. | .. | 8 | 2 | 45 | .. | 49 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 58 |
| Grand Total for 19-11-60 | .. | 7 | 95 | .. | 1 | .. | 155 | .. | 12 | 34 | 3 | .. | .. | 162 | 1 | .. | 7 | 128 | 6 | .. | .. | 9 | 3 | 66 | .. | 70 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 101 |
| " " 12-11-60 | .. | 5 | 153 | .. | 4 | 2 | 164 | .. | 10 | 11 | 2 | .. | .. | 116 | 3 | .. | 5 | 130 | 6 | .. | 1 | 3 | 9 | 67 | .. | 69 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 83 |
| " " 21 11-59 | .. | 3 | 149 | .. | 3 | 1 | 161 | .. | 9 | 14 | | .. | .. | 19 | 5 | .. | 2 | 136 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 150 | .. | 71 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 152 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 46

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 19th NOVEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 15th NOVEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 15th Nov. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21 | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 420 | 101 | 278 | 42 | 24 | 260 | 12·6 | 10 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 54 | 42 | 14 | 163 | 49 | 33 | 41·4 | 0·91 | 17·4 | 5843 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 163 | 36 | 137 | 19 | 5 | 123 | 13·7 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 5 | 20 | 19 | 11 | 81 | 50 | 34 | 42·1 | 0·28 | 19·6 | 1671 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 47 | 23 | 54 | 15 | 3 | 42 | 11·8 | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 1 | 31 | 49 | 31 | 40·5 | 0·47 | 18·7 | 701 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 65 | 15 | 47 | 7 | 5 | 45 | 12·9 | 2 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 25 | 51 | 31 | 41·6 | 0·45 | n.a. | 830 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 23 | 8 | 30 | 6 | 2 | 26 | 14·0 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 5 | 6 | .. | 18 | 51 | 32 | 42.9 | 1·07 | 19·5 | 597 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 28 | 6 | 23 | 6 | 3 | 20 | 13·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 4 | 1 | 17 | 49 | 36 | 43·3 | 1·48 | 16 5 | 546 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 25 | 1 | 12 | 5 | 11 | 18 | 12·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 5 | 4 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 762 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 14 | 3 | 13 | 3 | .. | 10 | 9·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 318 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 15 | 3 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 10 | 9·6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 454 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 17 | 3 | 6 | 1 | .. | 5 | 5·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 291 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 13 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 7·0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 474 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 17 | 7 | 14 | 2 | .. | 12 | 14·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 300 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 16 | 6 | 13 | 6 | 2 | 9 | 10·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 5 | 51 | 32 | 43·0 | 1·00 | 23·5 | 290 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 14 | 6 | 16 | 6 | 2 | 12 | 15·2 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 50 | 29 | 40·9 | 0·35 | 18·4 | 199 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 12 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 5·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 679 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 4 | .. | 7 | 9·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 327 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 8 | 6 | 6 | .. | 1 | 7 | 10·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 242 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 19th Nov. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 907 | 236 | 676 | 127 | 68 | 617 | 12·3 | 20 | 7 | 1 | 15 | 2 | 5 | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 20 | 22 | 112 | 111 | 32 | 399 | 51† | 29† | 42·0‡ | 0·75‡ | 19.1‡ | |
| 12th Nov. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 961 | 249 | 622 | 121 | 68 | 569 | 11·4 | 20 | 25 | 2 | 37 | 5 | 3 | .. | .. | 6 | 5 | 15 | 19 | 113 | 105 | 20 | 340 | 55† | 24† | 40·3‡ | 0·90‡ | 15·4‡ | |
| 21st Nov. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 888 | 272 | 650 | 118 | 55 | 587 | 11·7 | 25 | 24 | 4 | 41 | 5 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 17 | 29 | 125 | 106 | 26 | 348 | 56† | 34† | 44·9‡ | 1·72‡ | 3·2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 47

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 26th November 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 26th November 1960, the births of 1,024 living children, and of 29 stillborn children, 235 marriages and 631 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 20.5 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 4.7 and the death-rate 12.6. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 28 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 2.4 more than in the previous week, and 2.4 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 1.1 below the average. The death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.6 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.9 in Dunfermline to 6.2 in Hamilton. In Glasgow the rate was 12.9 and in Edinburgh 14.8.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases. One was due to meningococcal meningitis and 1 to influenza.

There were 113 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 101 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 68, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.6 more than in the previous week, and 0.4 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 14 more than in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0-6 days and 4 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 400, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 20, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 22nd November 1960, was 20,442. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 43.0° being 1.0° above that for the previous week, and 2.7° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.85 inch, and the mean sunshine 6.3 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 47 — Week ended Saturday, 26th November 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 23 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 24 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 1 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | 2 | 18 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | 2 | 20 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |

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| Fife C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 179 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 25 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 182 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 19 | .. | 9 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 30 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 6 | 123 | .. | 3 | 2 | 112 | .. | 5 | 41 | .. | .. | .. | 29 | 1 | .. | 1 | 95 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 13 | .. | 16 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 29 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 28 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 6 | 172 | .. | 3 | 2 | 133 | .. | 6 | 42 | .. | .. | .. | 33 | 3 | .. | 2 | 140 | 9 | .. | .. | 7 | 2 | 42 | .. | 40 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 58 |
| Grand Total for 26-11-60 | .. | 7 | 188 | .. | 3 | 2 | 164 | .. | 13 | 46 | 1 | .. | .. | 217 | 8 | .. | 4 | 176 | 11 | .. | .. | 7 | 3 | 71 | .. | 59 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 115 |
| " " 19-11-60 | .. | 7 | 95 | .. | 1 | .. | 155 | .. | 12 | 34 | 3 | .. | .. | 162 | 1 | .. | 7 | 128 | 6 | .. | .. | 9 | 3 | 66 | .. | 70 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 101 |
| " " 28-11-59 | .. | 3 | 199 | .. | 2 | 2 | 225 | .. | 19 | 16 | 3 | .. | 2 | 31 | 6 | .. | 1 | 208 | 6 | .. | 1 | 5 | 8 | 149 | .. | 64 | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 162 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

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# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 26th NOVEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 22nd NOVEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 22nd Nov. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow . | 1,075,800 | 460 | 106 | 276 | 34 | 23 | 265 | 12·9 | 17 | 11 | 4 | 21 | 4 | 5 | .. | 1 | 4 | 4 | 17 | 16 | 53 | 43 | 8 | 153 | 49 | 33 | 42·1 | 0·84 | 4·4 | 5642 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 138 | 33 | 143 | 17 | 7 | 133 | 14·8 | 2 | 3 | .. | 3 | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 9 | 17 | 32 | 5 | 89 | 51 | 32 | 43·2 | 0·65 | 6·8 | 1780 |
| 3. Aberdeen . | 186,900 | 56 | 29 | 59 | 16 | 1 | 44 | 12·3 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 9 | 1 | 33 | 48 | 33 | 42·7 | 1·12 | 6·2 | 708 |
| 4. Dundee . | 181,800 | 69 | 11 | 36 | 6 | 5 | 35 | 10·1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 7 | 5 | 3 | 26 | 51 | 33 | 43·1 | 0·64 | n.a. | 824 |
| 5. Paisley . . | 97,200 | 80 | 6 | 22 | 5 | .. | 17 | 9·1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | 8 | 51 | 32 | 43.4 | 1·08 | 5·5 | 549 |
| 6. Greenock . | 78,400 | 23 | 8 | 24 | 4 | 3 | 23 | 15·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 7 | .. | 2 | 17 | 51 | 36 | 44·4 | 0·70 | 7·2 | 556 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 33 | 6 | 15 | 2 | 3 | 16 | 11·4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 3 | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 775 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy . | 52,700 | 10 | 2 | 13 | 6 | .. | 7 | 7·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 328 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 40 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 6 | 15 | 14·5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 365 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 13 | 3 | 17 | 2 | 1 | 16 | 17·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 2 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 346 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 17 | 3 | 12 | 6 | 4 | 10 | 10·1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 442 |
| 12. Ayr . . . | 44,600 | 13 | 3 | 11 | 1 | .. | 10 | 11·7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 356 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 15 | 5 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 8 | 9·1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 5 | 51 | 33 | 44·2 | 1·12 | 6·6 | 274 |
| 14. Perth . . | 41,100 | 16 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 12·7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 7 | 50 | 28 | 41·1 | 0·66 | 7·3 | 203 |
| 15. Hamilton . | 41,900 | 12 | 6 | 4 | .. | 1 | 5 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 633 |
| 16. Falkirk . | 37,700 | 8 | 4 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 8·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 340 |
| 17. Airdrie . | 33,700 | 21 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 17·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 235 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 26th Nov. 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 1024 | 235 | 679 | 113 | 65 | 631 | 12·6 | 29 | 16 | 4 | 29 | 6 | 8 | .. | 2 | 8 | 8 | 31 | 37 | 101 | 113 | 20 | 400 | 51† | 28† | 43·0‡ | 0·85‡ | 6·3‡ | |
| 19th Nov. 1960 . | 2,614,800 | 907 | 236 | 676 | 127 | 68 | 617 | 12·3 | 20 | 7 | 1 | 15 | 2 | 5 | .. | 1 | 5 | 5 | 20 | 22 | 112 | 111 | 32 | 399 | 51† | 29† | 42·0‡ | 0·75‡ | 19·1‡ | |
| 28th Nov. 1959 . | 2,608,800‖ | 910 | 282 | 662 | 112 | 64 | 614 | 12·3 | 35 | 14 | 3 | 37 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 34 | 30 | 119 | 97 | 26 | 376 | 59† | 38† | 48·2‡ | 1·07‡ | 7·0‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 3rd December 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 3rd December 1960, the births of 988 living children, and of 17 stillborn children, 349 marriages and 633 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.8 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 7.0 and the death-rate 12.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 17 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.7 less than in the previous week, but 1.1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.7 above the average. The death-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.5 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 17.2 in Paisley to 4.0 in Clydebank. In Glasgow the rate was 12.3 and in Edinburgh 14.1.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases—both were due to influenza.

There were 109 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 118 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 58, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 28, being 1 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 380, and are 20 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 25, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 29th November 1960, was 21,718. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 42.1° being 0.9° below that for the previous week, but 1.0° above the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 2.18 inches, and the mean sunshine 14.9 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 48 — Week ended Saturday, 3rd December 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 1 | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 1 | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | . | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 142 | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 150 | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 18 | .. | 13 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 23 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Lanark C. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 6 | 108 | .. | 4 | 2 | 94 | .. | 3 | 10 | .. | .. | 1 | 45 | .. | .. | .. | 96 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 2 | 17 | .. | 25 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 34 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 35 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | . | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 8 | 148 | .. | 4 | 2 | 116 | .. | 7 | 12 | 1 | .. | 1 | 47 | .. | .. | 1 | 157 | 19 | .. | . | 8 | 3 | 38 | .. | 44 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 49 |
| Grand Total for 3-12-60 | .. | 9 | 172 | .. | 4 | 2 | 136 | .. | 8 | 12 | 1 | .. | | 197 | 2 | .. | 3 | 180 | 21 | .. | .. | 8 | 5 | 70 | .. | 58 | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 86 |
| " " 26-11-60 | .. | 7 | 188 | .. | 3 | 2 | 164 | .. | 13 | 46 | 1 | .. | .. | 217 | 8 | .. | 4 | 176 | 11 | .. | .. | 7 | 3 | 71 | .. | 59 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 115 |
| " " 5-12-59 | .. | 6 | 234 | .. | 4 | 4 | 153 | .. | 16 | 7 | 6 | .. | .. | 22 | 4 | .. | 3 | 193 | 14 | .. | 1 | 1 | 8 | 131 | .. | 75 | 8 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 187 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 48

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 3rd DECEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 29th NOVEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 29th Nov. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 438 | 142 | 270 | 34 | 17 | 253 | 12·3 | 2 | 6 | .. | 11 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 16 | 51 | 48 | 9 | 149 | 55 | 31 | 41·2 | 2.80 | 13·0 | 5993 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 155 | 57 | 138 | 18 | 7 | 127 | 14.1 | 1 | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 26 | 18 | 7 | 79 | 56 | 34 | 42·7 | 0·99 | 15·1 | 1977 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 58 | 30 | 53 | 12 | 4 | 45 | 12·6 | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 9 | 9 | .. | 29 | 55 | 28 | 40·9 | 0·26 | 23·3 | 782 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 80 | 27 | 44 | 5 | 6 | 45 | 12·9 | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | 11 | 11 | .. | 31 | 55 | 31 | 41·6 | 0·62 | n.a. | 898 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 42 | 16 | 36 | 11 | 7 | 32 | 17·2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | .. | 22 | 55 | 33 | 42·9 | 3·40 | 13·5 | 600 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 27 | 14 | 22 | 8 | 1 | 15 | 10·0 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 7 | 57 | 35 | 43·4 | 5·03 | 10·7 | 551 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 31 | 8 | 10 | 1 | 10 | 19 | 13·6 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 743 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 18 | 6 | 16 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 10·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 329 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 21 | 4 | 16 | 5 | 5 | 16 | 15·4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 408 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 12 | 2 | 13 | .. | 2 | 15 | 16·7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 378 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 14 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 4·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 494 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 19 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 11·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 340 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 19 | 8 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 12 | 13·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 8 | 56 | 30 | 43·7 | 2·95 | n.a. | 263 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 13 | 9 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 8·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 7 | 56 | 28 | 40·8 | 1·35 | 14·0 | 199 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 17 | 6 | 6 | .. | 3 | 9 | 11·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 731 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 10 | 4 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 9·7 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 335 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 14 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 9·3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 266 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 3rd Dec. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 988 | 349 | 671 | 114 | 76 | 633 | 12·7 | 17 | 16 | 3 | 28 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 11 | 25 | 33 | 118 | 109 | 25 | 380 | 57† | 28† | 42·1‡ | 2.18‡ | 14·9‡ | |
| 26th Nov. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 1024 | 235 | 679 | 113 | 65 | 631 | 12·6 | 29 | 16 | 4 | 29 | 6 | 8 | .. | 2 | 8 | 8 | 31 | 37 | 101 | 113 | 20 | 400 | 51† | 28† | 43·0‡ | 0·85‡ | 6·3‡ | |
| 5th Dec. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 870 | 386 | 588 | 108 | 69 | 549 | 11·0 | 17 | 12 | 3 | 22 | 2 | 6 | 1 | .. | 4 | 3 | 20 | 17 | 126 | 92 | 24 | 336 | 53† | 25† | 39·0‡ | 0·90‡ | 6·8‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 10th December 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 10th December 1960, the births of 952 living children, and of 20 stillborn children, 250 marriages and 661 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 19.0 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.0 and the death-rate 13.2. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.8 less than in the previous week, but 0.7 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.0 less than in the previous week, and 2.6 below the average. The death-rate is 0.5 more than in the previous week, and 0.8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 18.0 in Greenock to 6.2 in Airdrie. In Glasgow the rate was 13.5 and in Edinburgh 13.0.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

There were 126 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 121 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 71, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 more than in the previous week, and 0.2 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 29, being 1 more than in the previous week. Of these, 17 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 418, and are 38 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 29, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 6th December 1960, was 20,913. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 36.0° being 6.1° below that for the previous week, and 4.6° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.78 inch, and the mean sunshine 6.2 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 49 — Week ended Saturday, 10th December 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 2 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 14 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 2 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 14 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 149 | .. | .. | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 31 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 160 | .. | .. | 1 | 13 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 11 | .. | 17 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 35 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 11 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 3 | 127 | .. | .. | .. | 101 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 39 | .. | .. | .. | 115 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | 14 | .. | 26 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 22 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | 1 | .. | 49 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | 1 | 3 | 184 | .. | .. | .. | 120 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 43 | .. | .. | .. | 149 | 13 | .. | . | 4 | 3 | 39 | .. | 50 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 39 |
| Grand Total for 10-12-60 | 1 | 5 | 196 | .. | .. | .. | 142 | .. | 3 | 9 | 2 | .. | 2 | 204 | 1 | .. | 2 | 180 | 15 | .. | .. | 4 | 7 | 69 | .. | 76 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 80 |
| " " 3-12-60 | .. | 9 | 172 | .. | 4 | 2 | 136 | .. | 8 | 12 | 1 | .. | 1 | 197 | 2 | .. | 3 | 180 | 21 | .. | .. | 8 | 5 | 70 | .. | 58 | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 86 |
| " " 12 12-59 | .. | 8 | 260 | .. | 1 | 1 | 187 | .. | 10 | 13 | 2 | .. | 1 | 33 | 8 | .. | 4 | 162 | 11 | .. | .. | 2 | 9 | 143 | .. | 60 | 11 | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 189 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 49

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 10th DECEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 6th DECEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature: Absolute Lowest | Temperature: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 6th Dec. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 398 | 128 | 289 | 32 | 20 | 277 | 13·5 | 9 | 10 | 2 | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | 3 | 13 | 18 | 52 | 52 | 10 | 161 | 43 | 27 | 34·7 | 0·99 | 7·1 | 5514 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 171 | 46 | 128 | 13 | 2 | 117 | 13·0 | 4 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 11 | 24 | 20 | 8 | 84 | 43 | 30 | 36·6 | 0·25 | 11·0 | 1708 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 62 | 14 | 62 | 12 | .. | 50 | 14·0 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 6 | 11 | 11 | 2 | 33 | 43 | 25 | 35·9 | 1·04 | 11·2 | 732 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 55 | 20 | 44 | 6 | 5 | 43 | 12·4 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 34 | 43 | 27 | 36·2 | 0·61 | n.a. | 826 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 37 | 11 | 27 | 7 | 5 | 25 | 13·5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 19 | 44 | 30 | 36·4 | 0.80 | 1·9 | 621 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 30 | 1 | 27 | 3 | 3 | 27 | 18·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 46 | 31 | 37·3 | 1·14 | 2·5 | 538 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 20 | 3 | 15 | 1 | 7 | 21 | 15·0 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 2 | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 790 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 24 | 2 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 7·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 339 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 28 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 11·6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 398 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 20 | 6 | 9 | 2 | .. | 7 | 7·8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 363 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 15 | 4 | 13 | 3 | 2 | 12 | 12·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 491 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 19 | 3 | 13 | 5 | 5 | 13 | 15·2 | .. | 4 | .. | 4 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 403 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 20 | 3 | 16 | 5 | 2 | 13 | 14·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | .. | 9 | 47 | 23 | 35·9 | 0·80 | n.a. | 304 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 12 | 3 | 16 | 6 | 4 | 14 | 17·8 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 44 | 24 | 34·6 | 0·63 | 3·4 | 229 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 14 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 7·5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 632 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 10 | 2 | 15 | 5 | 2 | 12 | 16·6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 321 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 6·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 216 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 10th Dec. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 952 | 250 | 698 | 108 | 71 | 661 | 13·2 | 20 | 17 | 3 | 29 | 5 | 3 | 2 | .. | 6 | 6 | 23 | 48 | 121 | 126 | 29 | 418 | 47† | 23† | 36·0‡ | 0·78‡ | 6·2‡ | |
| 3rd Dec. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 988 | 349 | 671 | 114 | 76 | 633 | 12·7 | 17 | 16 | 3 | 28 | 3 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 12 | 11 | 25 | 33 | 118 | 109 | 25 | 380 | 57† | 28† | 42·1‡ | 2·18‡ | 14·9‡ | |
| 12th Dec. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 936 | 318 | 721 | 119 | 59 | 661 | 13 2 | 24 | 12 | 3 | 23 | 2 | 5 | .. | 2 | 7 | 7 | 28 | 31 | 104 | 129 | 43 | 422 | 48† | 25† | 41·2‡ | 0·88‡ | 1·2‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 50

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 17th December 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 17th December 1960, the births of 936 living children, and of 19 stillborn children, 253 marriages and 693 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.7 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 5.1 and the death-rate 13.9. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 20 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.3 less than in the previous week, but 0.4 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 0.1 more than in the previous week, but 1.4 below the average. The death-rate is 0.7 more than in the previous week, and 0.7 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 21.1 in Ayr to 2.8 in Falkirk. In Glasgow the rate was 13.4 and in Edinburgh 17.4.

There were 2 deaths from the principal epidemic diseases—they were due to influenza.

There were 121 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 116 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 83, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.3 more than in the previous week, and 0.3 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 18, being 11 fewer than in the previous week. Of these, 9 were aged 0-6 days and 2 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 465, and are 47 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 29, and are the same as in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 13th December 1960, was 20,520. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 35.6° being 0.4° below that for the previous week, and 3.8° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.42 inch, and the mean sunshine 5.4 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 50 — Week ended Saturday, 17th December 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 7 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |

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| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | . | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 182 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | ... | .. | 6 | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 19 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 189 | .. | .. | .. | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 28 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 2 | 130 | .. | 3 | .. | 113 | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 91 | 1 | .. | .. | 122 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 4 | 6 | .. | 15 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 33 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 29 | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | 4 | 167 | .. | 3 | .. | 143 | .. | 5 | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | 92 | 2 | .. | 1 | 178 | 16 | .. | .. | 6 | 5 | 29 | .. | 28 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 52 |
| Grand Total for 17-12-60 | .. | 4 | 178 | .. | 3 | .. | 165 | .. | 12 | 8 | 2 | .. | .. | 282 | 4 | .. | 2 | 203 | 17 | .. | .. | 6 | 5 | 60 | .. | 53 | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 83 |
| " " 10-12-60 | 1 | 5 | 196 | .. | .. | .. | 142 | .. | 3 | 9 | 2 | .. | 2 | 204 | 1 | .. | 2 | 180 | 15 | .. | .. | 4 | | 69 | .. | 76 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 80 |
| " " 19-12-59 | .. | 5 | 230 | .. | 4 | 2 | 192 | .. | 9 | 11 | 2 | 1 | .. | 24 | 1 | .. | 6 | 173 | 17 | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | 109 | .. | 90 | 9 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 207 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 50

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 17th DECEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 13th DECEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 13th Dec. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 420 | 112 | 294 | 43 | 25 | 276 | 13·4 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 9 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | 2 | 11 | 23 | 55 | 41 | 9 | 167 | 49 | 26 | 34·6 | 0·46 | 1·3 | 5760 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 146 | 45 | 169 | 19 | 7 | 157 | 17·4 | 4 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 8 | 14 | 24 | 32 | 7 | 104 | 54 | 23 | 36·3 | 0·37 | 8·0 | 1631 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 39 | 19 | 67 | 19 | 1 | 49 | 13·7 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 7 | 12 | 1 | 37 | 52 | 25 | 36·6 | 0·45 | 11·8 | 735 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 72 | 16 | 55 | 8 | 2 | 49 | 14·1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 39 | 51 | 25 | 35·6 | 0·40 | n.a. | 857 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 31 | 10 | 29 | 11 | 3 | 21 | 11·3 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 4 | .. | 12 | 49 | 25 | 36·0 | 0.28 | 4·6 | 552 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 33 | 4 | 21 | 3 | .. | 18 | 12·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 51 | 29 | 38·1 | 0·48 | 3·7 | 503 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 29 | 8 | 13 | 4 | 8 | 17 | 12·2 | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 831 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 14 | 6 | 15 | 6 | 3 | 12 | 11·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 310 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 13 | 1 | 15 | 7 | 5 | 13 | 12·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 363 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 17 | 4 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 12 | 13·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 323 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 21 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 7 | 9 | 9·1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 451 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 22 | 3 | 19 | 4 | 3 | 18 | 21·1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 306 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 21 | 7 | 14 | 6 | 3 | 11 | 12·5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 3 | .. | 9 | 50 | 20 | 34·6 | 0·61 | 6·9 | 278 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 7 | 4 | 17 | 6 | 2 | 13 | 16·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 51 | 20 | 33·3 | 0·27 | 1·4 | 217 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 22 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 654 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 16 | 9 | 9 | 7 | .. | 2 | 2·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 336 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 13 | .. | 4 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 10·9 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 262 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 17th Dec. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 936 | 253 | 768 | 154 | 79 | 693 | 13·9 | 19 | 9 | 2 | 18 | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 33 | 50 | 116 | 121 | 29 | 465 | 54† | 20† | 35·6‡ | 0·42‡ | 5·4‡ | |
| 10th Dec. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 952 | 250 | 698 | 108 | 71 | 661 | 13·2 | 20 | 17 | 3 | 29 | 5 | 3 | 2 | .. | 6 | 6 | 23 | 48 | 121 | 126 | 29 | 418 | 47† | 23† | 36·0‡ | 0.78‡ | 6·2 ‡ | |
| 19th Dec. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 862 | 289 | 664 | 107 | 69 | 626 | 12·5 | 23 | 21 | 3 | 33 | 5 | 7 | 2 | .. | 5 | 3 | 14 | 30 | 128 | 129 | 20 | 380 | 52† | 31† | 41·8‡ | 0·97‡ | 5·6‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward areas covered by these offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 51

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 24th December 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 24th December 1960, the births of 942 living children, and of 25 stillborn children, 361 marriages and 686 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.8 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 7.2 and the death-rate 13.7. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 26 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 2.1 more than in the previous week, and 0.1 above the average. The death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 21.6 in Kilmarnock to 2.0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow the rate was 14.2 and in Edinburgh 13.9.

There were no deaths from the principal epidemic diseases.

There were 136 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 107 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 75, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but 0.1 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 35, being 17 more than in the previous week. Of these, 18 were aged 0-6 days and 3 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 451, and are 14 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 22, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 20th December 1960, was 19,786. The number of such claims made at the Seventeen Principal Towns is shown on the last page of this return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 36.5° being 0.9° above that for the previous week, but 2.7° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 0.33 inch, and the mean sunshine 8.4 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 51 — Week ended Saturday, 24th December 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | * Chickenpox | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | * Measles | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | * Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable | Acute Polio-myelitis: Paralytic | Acute Polio-myelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| NORTHERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| NORTH-EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 27 |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 30 |
| EASTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |

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| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 196 | .. | .. | 6 | 10 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 17 |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 2 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 198 | .. | .. | 6 | 14 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 2 | 8 | .. | 9 | 7 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 23 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 26 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 8 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Glasgow B. | .. | .. | 60 | .. | 1 | .. | 34 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 50 | 1 | .. | 2 | 106 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 14 | .. | 13 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 34 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 23 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total | .. | .. | 88 | .. | 1 | .. | 63 | .. | 6 | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | 51 | 1 | .. | 3 | 174 | 13 | .. | .. | 3 | 4 | 30 | .. | 33 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 48 |
| Grand Total for 24-12-60 | .. | .. | 90 | .. | 1 | .. | 81 | .. | 9 | 12 | 2 | .. | .. | 249 | 1 | .. | 10 | 212 | 14 | 1 | .. | 3 | 6 | 49 | .. | 49 | 14 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 102 |
| " " 17-12-60 | .. | 4 | 178 | .. | 3 | .. | 165 | .. | 12 | 8 | 2 | .. | .. | 282 | 4 | .. | 2 | 203 | 17 | .. | .. | 6 | 5 | 60 | .. | 53 | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 83 |
| " " 26 12-59 | .. | 7 | 199 | .. | 3 | 2 | 122 | .. | 8 | 6 | 2 | .. | 1 | 21 | 3 | .. | 1 | 185 | 14 | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 91 | .. | 45 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 93 |

* *Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

No. 51

# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 24th DECEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 20th DECEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | 7-27 days | Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Congenital Malformations | Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Tuberculosis: All forms | Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Pneumonia | Other Respiratory Diseases | Malignant neoplasms | Coronary Thrombosis | Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature * Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Absolute Lowest | Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 20th Dec. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 410 | 161 | 306 | 30 | 16 | 292 | 14·2 | 10 | 9 | 1 | 18 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | 6 | 5 | 33 | 49 | 46 | 9 | 186 | 45 | 24 | 37·0 | 0·47 | 9·5 | 5330 |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 138 | 60 | 141 | 20 | 4 | 125 | 13·9 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 9 | 18 | 36 | 4 | 85 | 46 | 28 | 36·4 | 0·07 | 7·2 | 1668 |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 62 | 34 | 63 | 20 | 3 | 46 | 12·9 | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 5 | 8 | 9 | 1 | 29 | 44 | 27 | 36·4 | 0·25 | 11·1 | 690 |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 85 | 24 | 51 | 10 | 4 | 45 | 12·9 | 2 | 4 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 10 | 7 | 2 | 28 | 46 | 27 | 36·5 | 0·16 | n.a. | 759 |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 36 | 9 | 41 | 10 | 2 | 33 | 17·8 | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 3 | 11 | .. | 25 | 47 | 26 | 36·7 | 0.41 | 9·8 | 593 |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 27 | 6 | 13 | 3 | .. | 10 | 6·7 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | 7 | 47 | 29 | 38·9 | 0·68 | 8·1 | 549 |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 27 | 10 | 16 | 5 | 11 | 22 | 15·7 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 14 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 738 |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 19 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2.0 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 329 |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 20 | 4 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 10·6 | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 343 |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 9 | 10 | 18 | 5 | .. | 13 | 14·5 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 1 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 295 |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 18 | 3 | 10 | 2 | 3 | 11 | 11·1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 392 |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 21 | 5 | 16 | 2 | 3 | 17 | 19·9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 3 | 1 | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 334 |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 22 | 8 | 22 | 6 | 3 | 19 | 21·6 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 14 | 51 | 22 | 35·6 | 0·45 | 5·9 | 250 |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 14 | 4 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 14·0 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | 9 | 46 | 20 | 34.6 | 0·12 | 6·9 | 211 |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 19 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 11 | 13·7 | 2 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 683 |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 7 | 6 | 16 | 7 | .. | 9 | 12·5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 6 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 359 |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 8 | 4 | 11 | 2 | .. | 9 | 14·0 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 4 | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 258 |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 24th Dec. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 942 | 361 | 754 | 129 | 61 | 686 | 13·7 | 25 | 18 | 3 | 35 | 4 | 2 | 1 | .. | 8 | 8 | 17 | 58 | 107 | 136 | 22 | 451 | 51† | 20† | 36·5‡ | 0·33‡ | 8·4‡ | |
| 17th Dec. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 936 | 253 | 768 | 154 | 79 | 693 | 13·9 | 19 | 9 | 2 | 18 | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 33 | 50 | 116 | 121 | 29 | 465 | 54† | 20† | 35·6‡ | 0.42‡ | 5·4‡ | |
| 26th Dec. 1959 | 2,608,800‖ | 705 | 395 | 659 | 122 | 70 | 607 | 12·1 | 20 | 11 | 1 | 30 | 3 | 4 | .. | 3 | 6 | 6 | 27 | 33 | 95 | 115 | 26 | 365 | 49† | 29† | 39·7‡ | 2·27‡ | 3·4‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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No. 52

WEEKLY RETURN OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL
SCOTLAND

# BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES
# INFECTIOUS DISEASES
# NEW CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS BENEFIT
# WEATHER REPORT

Week ended 31st December 1960

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In the Seventeen Principal Towns of Scotland, being those burghs which at the date of the 1951 Census had populations of over 30,000, there were registered during the week ended 31st December 1960, the births of 930 living children, and of 20 stillborn children, 555 marriages and 777 deaths. In the case of births, stillbirths and deaths the numbers are corrected to allow for usual residence. The equivalent annual birth-rate (living children only) is 18.6 per thousand of the population, the marriage-rate 11.1 and the death-rate 15.5. The number of stillbirths corresponds to a rate of 21 per thousand total births registered (including stillborn).

The birth-rate for the week is 0.2 less than in the previous week, but 1.1 above the five years' average. The marriage-rate is 3.9 more than in the previous week, but 0.8 below the average. The death-rate is 1.8 more than in the previous week, and 2.3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns ranged from 20.0 in Hamilton to 9.4 in Ayr. In Glasgow the rate was 15.3 and in Edinburgh 17.4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases numbered 3. They were due to influenza.

There were 147 deaths attributed to coronary thrombosis and 121 to malignant neoplasms.

Deaths from respiratory diseases (other than tubercular, influenzal and malignant) numbered 93, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0.4 more than in the previous week, and 0.4 above the average.

Deaths of children aged less than one year numbered 35, being the same as in the previous week. Of these, 16 were aged 0-6 days and 7 were aged 7-27 days. Deaths of persons aged sixty-five years and over numbered 504, and are 53 more than in the previous week.

Deaths due to violence numbered 33, and are 11 more than in the previous week.

The number of new claims to sickness benefit under the National Insurance Acts made at Local Offices of the Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance in Scotland during the week ended 27th December 1960, are not available. These will be included in next week's return.

The mean temperature for the towns from which returns were received was 38.4° being 1.9° above that for the previous week, but 0.5° below the average for the corresponding week in the period 1901-1930.

The mean rainfall was 1.76 inches, and the mean sunshine 8.5 hours.

*NOTE.*—The averages used for comparison are, except where otherwise stated, the mean of the comparable rates in the Principal Towns in the corresponding week of the five preceding years.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
notified to the Department of Health in Scotland

No. 52 — Week ended Saturday, 31st December 1960

| COUNTIES AND LARGE BURGHS | Anthrax | Cerebro-Spinal Fever | Chickenpox * | Cholera | Continued Fever | Diphtheria | Dysentery | Encephalitis Lethargica | Erysipelas | Food Poisoning | Jaundice, Acute Infective | Leprosy | Malaria | Measles * | Ophthalmia Neonatorum | Plague | Pneumonia, Acute Influenzal | Pneumonia, Acute Primary | Pneumonia not otherwise notifiable * | Acute Poliomyelitis: Paralytic | Acute Poliomyelitis: Non-Paralytic | Puerperal Fever | Puerperal Pyrexia | Scarlet Fever | Smallpox | Tuberculosis—Respiratory | Tuberculosis Non-Respiratory | Typhoid Fever | Para-typhoid A | Para-typhoid B | Typhus Fever | Whooping Cough |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) | (33) |
| **NORTHERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caithness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Inverness B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Nairn C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ross and Cromarty C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sutherland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **NORTH-EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Aberdeen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Banff C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kincardine C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Moray C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Orkney C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Zetland C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 8 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| **EASTERN REGION—** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Angus C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Arbroath B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dundee B. | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth and Kinross C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Perth B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | 3 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 12 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 6 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

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| Dunfermline B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Kirkcaldy B. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Midlothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 |
| Edinburgh B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 25 | .. | 4 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 109 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Peebles C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Roxburgh C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Selkirk C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| West Lothian C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| TOTAL | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 25 | .. | 5 | 6 | .. | .. | .. | 116 | 1 | .. | .. | 25 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 15 | .. | 7 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 24 |
| WESTERN REGION— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argyll C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Ayr C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 13 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Ayr B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kilmarnock B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Bute C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clackmannan C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumfries B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dunbarton C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Clydebank B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Dumbarton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Kirkcudbright C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Lanark C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 19 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Airdrie B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Coatbridge B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 |
| Glasgow B. | .. | 6 | 53 | .. | 1 | .. | 53 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 39 | 1 | .. | 6 | 182 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 16 | .. | 28 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 19 |
| Hamilton B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Motherwell B. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Rutherglen B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 |
| Renfrew C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Greenock B. | .. | .. | 33 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Paisley B. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Port-Glasgow B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Stirling C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Falkirk B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 8 |
| Stirling B. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Wigtown C. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 17 |
| Total | .. | 6 | 89 | .. | 1 | .. | 65 | .. | 4 | 2 | 3 | .. | .. | 42 | 1 | .. | 7 | 245 | 27 | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 46 | .. | 68 | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 54 |
| Grand Total for 31-12-60 | .. | 9 | 93 | .. | 1 | .. | 102 | .. | 9 | 9 | 4 | .. | .. | 158 | 2 | .. | 10 | 292 | 31 | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 66 | .. | 90 | 14 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 78 |
| " " 24-12-60 | .. | .. | 90 | .. | 1 | .. | 81 | .. | 9 | 12 | 2 | .. | .. | 249 | 1 | .. | 10 | 212 | 14 | 1 | .. | 3 | 6 | 49 | .. | 49 | 14 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 102 |
| " " 2-1-60 | .. | 7 | 106 | .. | 1 | 2 | 207 | .. | 9 | 11 | 5 | .. | .. | 22 | 5 | .. | 4 | 186 | 18 | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 114 | .. | 66 | 10 | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | 103 |

** Diseases so marked are not generally notifiable in Scotland.*

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# RETURN OF BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES AND WEATHER REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1960

## RETURN OF NEW CLAIMS TO SICKNESS BENEFIT FOR WEEK ENDED 27th DECEMBER 1960

| TOWNS | Estimated Population at 31st Dec. 1959 | Live Births * | Marriages | Deaths: Number Registered | Deaths: Transferred Out | Deaths: Transferred in | Deaths: Net Total Number | Deaths: Rate per 1000 of Estimated Population | Stillbirths | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 0-6 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: 7-27 days | Deaths of Infants of age under one year: Total under one year | Deaths from: Congenital Debility and Prematurity | Deaths from: Congenital Malformations | Deaths from: Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age) | Deaths from: Principal Epidemic § Diseases | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: All forms | Deaths from: Tuberculosis: Respiratory System | Deaths from: Pneumonia | Deaths from: Other Respiratory Diseases | Deaths from: Malignant neoplasms | Deaths from: Coronary Thrombosis | Deaths from: Violence | Deaths of Persons aged 65 years and over | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Highest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Absolute Lowest | Temperature ° Fahr.: Mean Temperature (average of all observations) | Rainfall in Inches | Hours of Bright Sunshine | Return of New Claims to Sickness Benefit in week ended 27th Dec. 1960** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) |
| 1. Glasgow | 1,075,800 | 401 | 264 | 315 | 32 | 31 | 314 | 15·3 | 10 | 11 | 2 | 20 | 1 | 5 | .. | 1 | 3 | 3 | 15 | 35 | 47 | 48 | 10 | 192 | 49 | 29 | 37·4 | 1·85 | 3·4 | NOT AVAILABLE |
| 2. Edinburgh | 470,800 | 163 | 87 | 161 | 15 | 11 | 157 | 17·4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 5 | 4 | 24 | 38 | 5 | 109 | 50 | 32 | 38·7 | 1·04 | 14·8 | |
| 3. Aberdeen | 186,900 | 55 | 29 | 73 | 14 | 5 | 64 | 17·9 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 5 | 20 | 4 | 49 | 48 | 31 | 37·6 | 0·80 | 14·6 | |
| 4. Dundee | 181,800 | 44 | 27 | 49 | 8 | 3 | 44 | 12·7 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 4 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 34 | 49 | 30 | 37·6 | 0·89 | n.a. | |
| 5. Paisley | 97,200 | 26 | 26 | 36 | 12 | 3 | 27 | 14·5 | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 3 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 17 | 50 | 34 | 39·3 | 2·45 | 7·8 | |
| 6. Greenock | 78,400 | 25 | 15 | 22 | 2 | 1 | 21 | 14·0 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 1 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 15 | 50 | 34 | 40·1 | 3·44 | 6·2 | |
| 7. Motherwell & Wishaw | 73,100 | 31 | 16 | 24 | 7 | 4 | 21 | 15·0 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| 8. Kirkcaldy | 52,700 | 10 | 7 | 19 | 6 | 4 | 17 | 16·9 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | .. | 12 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| 9. Coatbridge | 54,300 | 43 | 12 | 13 | 5 | 10 | 18 | 17·3 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 11 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| 10. Dunfermline | 46,900 | 16 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 10 | 11·2 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| 11. Clydebank | 52,000 | 13 | 9 | 11 | 3 | 4 | 12 | 12·1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | 1 | 9 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| 12. Ayr | 44,600 | 15 | 16 | 12 | 7 | 3 | 8 | 9·4 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| 13. Kilmarnock | 46,000 | 25 | 7 | 15 | 4 | 5 | 16 | 13·2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 11 | 50 | 32 | 39·1 | 2·40 | n.a. | |
| 14. Perth | 41,100 | 13 | 5 | 17 | 6 | 3 | 14 | 17·8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 50 | 28 | 37·6 | 1·19 | 4·2 | |
| 15. Hamilton | 41,900 | 17 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 10 | 16 | 20·0 | 1 | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 3 | 3 | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| 16. Falkirk | 37,700 | 15 | 9 | 20 | 10 | 1 | 11 | 15·3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 2 | 2 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| 17. Airdrie | 33,700 | 18 | 13 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 10·9 | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | .. | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| TOTALS FOR 17 Towns Weekended 31st Dec. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 930 | 555 | 808 | 136 | 105 | 777 | 15·5 | 20 | 16 | 7 | 35 | 4 | 6 | .. | 3 | 8 | 8 | 31 | 62 | 121 | 147 | 33 | 504 | 50† | 28† | 38·4‡ | 1·76‡ | 8·5‡ | |
| 24th Dec. 1960 | 2,614,800 | 942 | 361 | 754 | 129 | 61 | 686 | 13·7 | 25 | 18 | 3 | 35 | 4 | 2 | 1 | .. | 8 | 8 | 17 | 58 | 107 | 136 | 22 | 451 | 51† | 20† | 36·5‡ | 0·33‡ | 8·4‡ | |
| 2nd Jan. 1960 | 2,608,800‖ | 857 | 632 | 661 | 121 | 74 | 614 | 12·3 | 22 | 20 | 3 | 33 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 28 | 36 | 106 | 109 | 28 | 380 | 53† | 27† | 41·5‡ | 1·32‡ | 8·0‡ | |

* Numbers of Births, Stillbirths and Deaths (including death-rates) have been provisionally corrected by transfer to place of usual residence if in Scotland.

‖ Estimated population at 31st December 1958.

§ Typhoid Fever, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Meningococcal Infections, Measles and Influenza.

** These figures represent the number of new claims made at Ministry of Pensions & National Insurance Offices in the towns named and include a number of claims made by insured persons resident in the landward area served by those offices.

† Weekly extremes.

‡ Weekly means.

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